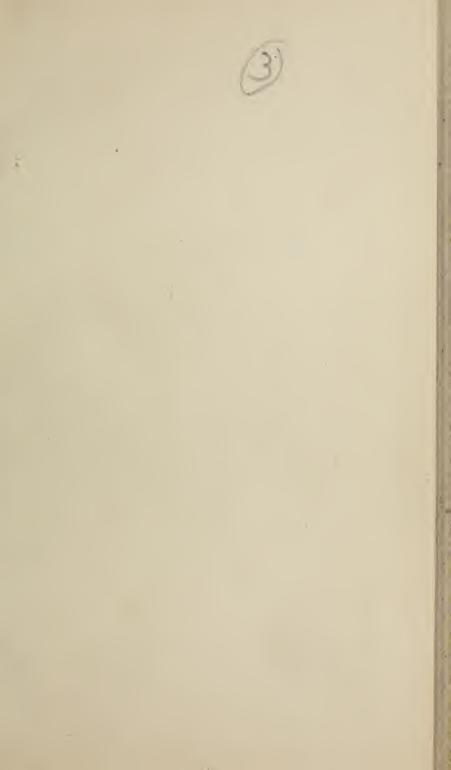


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FIFTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Boston Children's Friend Society.

NOVEMBER 5, 1884.

"Whosoever shall receive one of such children in My name receiveth Me."—MARK ix. 37.

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REPORT.

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LIKE the history of the peaceful years in larger communities, the story of the work of the Children's Friend Society for 1884 is simple and soon told. The children were never in better health or more wisely and lovingly trained. From the excellent and esteemed matron to the humblest worker in the Home, the employees are laboring faithfully and effectually, showing an intelligent and hearty devotion to the best interests of the Institution, and making it as far as possible, what is the desire and hope of the Managers to see it, a real home.

It is many years since the family was as large as it is at present, and the accommodations are taxed to the utmost.

The number of chi	ldren	rece	ived	from	Nov.	Ι,	1883,	to	
Nov. 1, 1884, is									37
Number dismissed,				•					24
Deaths,									I
Number at present,									

It has been a constant source of gratification to all who are interested in the Home to observe the happy, healthy tone of the children's life. While they are uniformly orderly and well-behaved, there is no more appearance of repression than in any well regulated family. Happy, contented faces meet one all over the house; no one is idle, but all have work suited to their strength and capacity, and the evident affection and good will between the children and those in charge are delightful to see and most favorable to the best developement of the young people.

The school is in a prosperous condition. The classes make fair progress, and the work of the teacher is lightened and made more effective by the introduction of a new system with the smallest pupils. These children—too old for the nurseries—too young to bear patiently the necessary restraints of the ordinary school routine—have always formed a puzzling class. They needed constant attention and this the teacher could not give them without neglecting the older classes, to whom her instruction was of still more importance. This year one of the older girls, who shows much tact and skill in the care and training of little children, has devoted several hours daily to a sort of kindergarten at one end of the large school room, and teacher and scholars are equally happy under the arrangement.

The nurseries have been full and flourishing, and there can be no doubt of the good that is accomplished in this department; while the fact that an average of twenty-five children, under five years of age, have been perfectly well in these rooms for almost the entire year is sufficient commentary upon the wisdom of their treatment.

The character of the applicants for admission to the Home has changed greatly in the last twenty years, and the friends of the Society sometimes fail to recognize the class it benefits. Other institutions have been established in the city, to which the most degraded and neglected children naturally find their way; while to the Children's Friend Society falls the pleasant work of helping the children of worthy families, whose poverty and misfortune come by no fault of their own. The proportion of this class in the Home is yearly growing larger.

It is hard for any one who has not experienced it to understand the deep interest awakened among the Managers by the individual cases presented. Strange, sad histories are told them, often of bitter and undeserved suffering, which is hopeless of relief.

Fathers who stand helpless before the task of supporting and training their little motherless children, often with the added burden of ill health and ignorance,—mothers whose

only hope of earning anything is in separation from their babies, and who beg not only shelter for their children, but concealment from those who should have been their protectors,—older brothers and sisters left with the care and responsibility of the little ones of the family,—these all come to the Home, and seldom go from its doors without help and advice. One young man, less than twenty years of age, and wholly dependent upon his own labor, brought to the Home his little orphan nephew, whose support he had voluntarily assumed.

Of course sympathy is sometimes called out by stories which do not bear investigation, but this occurs less frequently than might be supposed.

The case of one little girl in the nursery department is particularly interesting. Born in Constantinople, of Armenian parents, her mother being a graduate of the Constantinople Home School, she passed her first two years under Eastern skies. Shortly after the death of her mother, which occurred when the baby was about two years old, her father came to America hoping to work his way through some medical school, and brought his little daughter with him, that she might be reared as her mother desired, under Christian influence. Most discouraging results followed his efforts to obtain employment and a home for his child, and it was with great gratitude and relief that he left her at last in the safety and comfort of this Home, where she has made firm friends, and is fast becoming a little American in speech and habits. But no amount of American surroundings will ever deprive her of certain foreign looks and ways. It is her father's earnest hope that she may in time return as a teacher to her native land.

The May Day Festival was more successful than ever before. The contributions of fancy articles for sale have increased so greatly that the few modest tables in the Board room which held them three years ago are now quite insufficient, and this year, to the great relief of both buyers and sellers, the children's dining-room was used for a restaurant, and both front rooms on the entrance floor devoted to the sale. The receipts

largely exceeded those of previous years, and this in spite of the fact that much less than usual was contributed in money. The children appeared well in the school room, and their simple efforts to entertain their friends with singing, recitions, etc., were received with flattering appreciation.

One new feature of the day was the table devoted entirely to the work of the children. In the course of the year gifts of worsteds and other materials for fancy work were received, and, under the patient oversight of the teacher, these were converted into very pretty and useful contributions to the sale. The children proudly presided over their own table, with the promise that the receipts, instead of being absorbed in the general fund, should be devoted to the school-room, in any way they pleased. They agreed upon the purchase of some much needed maps and a globe. This useful disposition of their little fund was heartily approved, and a much more intelligent study of geography is sure to be the result.

The Christmas tree, which is now anticipated with confidence as an annual event, was most generously provided with gifts for all the children, as well as for the older members of the family, and was, as usual, the occasion of wild enthusiasm and delight.

It was thought best this season, for various reasons, to discontinue the Summer Home, which has been kept open at Milton from June to October for two years. The Rutland Street building is exceptionally cool for a city house, and while it is hard to see the nursery children confined to the small quarters which are all that can be spared to them, it was decided to be inexpedient to attempt their removal this To compensate for the lack of the Summer Home, a few of the children have been sent to board or visit a week or two in the country, and various excursions away from the city have been arranged. The expense of these outings has been defrayed by special contributions from individuals, and from the Fresh Air Fund in the hands of Rev. D. W. Waldron, and to that gentleman we are greatly indebted for their success. He not only personally superintended them, but by his influence and experience reduced the expense so much as to greatly increase the number of excursions within the means of the Society. Thanks are also due to the numerous friends who so cheerfully and generously responded to his appeals for help in this direction.

On July 1st fifty of the family spent the day at Nantasket Beach, where they were entertained by rides, entrance to the skating rink, an abundant dinner at the Centre House, and that delight so dear to a childish heart—liberty to play in the sand. Later in the season all the children were taken to spend several happy days at West Roxbury Park, and twice a part of the family were generously entertained in the beautiful grounds of Wellesley Hotel, where they made many new friends and earned hearty praise by their good behavior and neat appearance.

One novel entertainment, planned and carried out by Mr. Waldron, deserves special note. It consisted of a picnic at Austin Farms, shared by the inmates of that institution with quite a company of children from the Home. The pleasant grove sheltered a striking group, as the one hundred and seventy-five old ladies, each in her comfortable rocking-chair, sat listening with such keen delight to song after song in the clear childish voices; and it is hard to tell who enjoyed most the generous dinner spread under the trees,—the children, their aged hostesses, or the kind friends of both who had prepared the feast and who watched it melt away amid looks and sighs of satisfaction.

This fall the children have attended the Mechanics' Fair, through the kindness of Mr. G. H. Quincy, and some of the older ones increased their stock of historical information in connection with a visit to Bunker Hill.

As in former years, the Managers are deeply indebted to the physicians, Drs. Walker and Holyoke, for their readiness in responding to all calls for advice, and to Mr. C. I. Eaton for gratuitously supplying all the necessary medicines. This acknowledgment, repeated year after year might seem to a stranger almost a matter of form, but with every year the hearty gratitude of the Managers toward these gentlemen is increased and strengthened. The Managers and older friends of the institution appreciate more fully, perhaps, than the children can at present, their great obligation to Dr. B. B. Chandler for dental work. Any one who has had the oversight of one little set of teeth during that critical time between the ages of seven and fifteen can form some estimate of the value and importance of Dr. Chandler's services, when they know that he has voluntarily performed all the necessary dentistry for every child in charge of the Society entirely free of cost.

It is a matter of great satisfaction that this year the generous bequest of \$5,000 has been realized from the estate of the late Gardner Colby, Esq., and in grateful recognition of its receipt Mrs. Gardner Colby and her two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Walworth and Mrs. D. R. Wolfe, have been made life members of the Society. This sum has been added to the permanent funds of the Society.

There has also been received from Rev. John Colby, of Fitz-william, N. H., a bequest of \$15.00 from the estate of the late Mrs. Cynthia E. Gowin.

The ordinary wear and tear in a building like the Home, with a family of such size, is more than can be easily met every year, unless special help is received; but thanks to our good friend, Mr. G. H. Quincy, and those who have so generously responded to his solicitations, some much needed repairs and improvements in the basement of the building and elsewhere have been made this year.

In accordance with the constitutional amendment, made at the last annual meeting, providing for a larger Board of Managers, three new members were elected; and owing to this fact, and to the resignation of several Managers older in service, whose places have also been filled, the Board has changed more than usual in so short a time. Mrs. Jonathan A. Lane, who has so wisely and successfully filled the office of President for ten years, has felt obliged to resign from that position, but has happily consented to remain upon the Board as

Vice President, simply exchanging offices with Mrs. Joshua Lincoln, the present President.

The work of this year has been most encouraging, and the Managers look forward with much hope, and with firm trust in the friends who have given their support in the past, believing that their generous gifts and helpful sympathy will not fail in the years to come. It is to them—its generous supporters—that the Children's Friend Society owes its strength and power; and it lies with them, and not with the officers, who are simply stewards, to decide whether in the future the work shall be increased and broadened until the little children sheltered and saved are counted by hundreds instead of by scores.

In behalf of the Board of Managers,

ISABEL D. SNOW, Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

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Dr.			
1884.—Oct. 31, To Board of Children,			\$2,547 12 881 00
CÓNTRIBUTIONS:			
By the Clarendon Baptist Society—Annual Sermon by Rev. A. J. Gordon—of which, given by Mrs. R. K. Potter, to constitute Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hewins, Master Edmund D. Hewins, and Miss Kittie Potter Hewins, Life Members, and by Mr. Jona. A. Lane, to constitute Mrs. R. R. Mere-	*		
dith a Life Member,	\$180	00	
The Shawmut Congregational Society, .	246		
The Union Congregational Church,	82		
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Mr. Warren L. Tower,	\$10		
Mr. Walter Potter,	IO	00	
Katie Bates,	-	00	
Mr. D. M. Weston,	50		
Mrs. R. C. Winthrop, Jr.,	25		
Mr. Wm. T. Carlton, by Miss Katie Bates,		00	
F. E. J., 20 Hereford St., by Mr. Jona. A. Lane,	IO		
Miss M. R. Parkman,	3	00	
Mr. C. H. P.,		00	
Mr. Geo. H. Green,	_	00	
A Friend, ,	I	50	
Amounts carried forward,	\$129	50	\$4,955 03

^{*} Particulars of these subscriptions will be found on pages 17, 18, etc.

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Mass. Charitable Fire So	ciety,					100	00		
Messrs. T. R. Marvin &	Son,					25	00		
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Mrs. Wm. B. Wood (in						\$75	00		
Mrs. Charles H. Allen,				•		5	00		
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Mrs. Z. C. Goodwin,						3	00		
Mrs. Josephine S. Hall,	•	•				15	00		
Mr. George H. Quincy,				•		IO	00		
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Mr. F. D. Allen, .						5	00		
Mr. Albert Gay, .						2	00		
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SPECIAL DONATIONS FOR	REPA	IRS:							
Mr. Geo. H. Quincy,						\$100	00		
Mrs. Wm. B. Wood,						.,	00		
Mrs. Wm. B. Wood, Mr. Charles S. Kendall,						_	00		
Mr. Jona. A. Lane,						25			
Mr. Leander Beal, .						25			
Mr. Alexander Stowell,						50			
Messrs. Herman Strater						_	00		
Mr. Joseph Sawyer,						25			
Mr. Isaac D. Farnsworth						_	00		
Mr. J. E. Daniels, .	' .	•					00		
Mr. Samuel N. Brown,							00		
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LIFE MEMBERS:								_	
Mrs. Geo. P. Bingham,						\$25	00		
Mrs. Eliza Sleeper Davis						25			
Mrs. William Fosdick,						25			
Mrs. A. E. Giles, Hyde						25			
Mrs. H. R. Glover, .						25			
Mrs. E. T. Pike, .		•				25			
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BOSTON, OCT. 31, 1884.—We have examined the foregoing account, and find it correct, with proper vouchers; showing a balance to be due to

the Treasurer of one hundred and eight dollars and thirty cents (\$108.30).

EZRA FARNWORTH, SAMUEL N. BROWN,

^{*} On reading this Report at the Annual Meeting, Mr. Lansing Millis immediately volunteered a contribution of \$108.30 to pay the balance due by the Society.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be made use of:-From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the \$2,000 00 From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the Fennelly Fund," received March 6th, 1858 1,000 00 From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4th, 1860 5,500 00 From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4th, 1861. 1,000 00 From three different Estates, constituting the "Iov Fund," received _____, March 13th, 1867, and Dec. 1st, 1869. 4,170 00 From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said Institution for investment and income in support thereof"..... 1,000 00 From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16th, 1876 3,000 00 From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9th, 1877 100 00 From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, as a fund for Thanksgiving Dinners, received Nov. 21st, 1878 500 00 From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8th, 1879 . 500 00 From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25th, 1884 5,000 00

\$23,770 00

FORM OF A BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A. B.,) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society. And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

Great efforts have been made to include correctly in the various lists of this Report the names of all those aiding the home in any way during the year. The Secretary will esteem it a kindness to be advised of any errors or omissions.

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Mrs. H. R. Merrill		2 00	Miss Anna C. Hill .		I 00	
Mrs. E. C. Johnson		2 00	Master Hamilton Hill .		I 00	
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Mr. C. B. Wilson .		5 00				
Miss F. Boyd		2 00			\$84 00	
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ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the "Boston Children's Friend Society."

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ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at 11 A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts, approved by the President, or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual

meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A Committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting, to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the Officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each Annual Meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof, by the unanimous vote of said Board.

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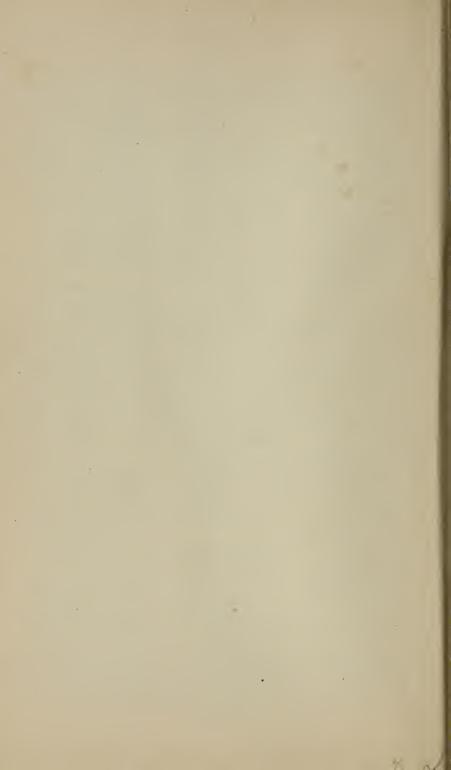
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During the year that is passing, the officers of this Society have twice been reminded that the work and duties which are theirs to do must be done quickly.

There is a sad vacancy among the Advisers,—that of Mr. Lansing Millis, who last year, it may be remembered, held the position of Chairman at the Annual Meeting, and generously made up the deficiencies in the treasury, which was only one of his many good deeds to the Home. Although he served the Society but a short time, his name will long be remembered.

The Board of Managers have experienced great sorrow in the removal of Miss Isabel D. Snow, for two years Secretary of this Society, and from childhood interested and actively engaged in the work here, always having under her charge at least one of the children to clothe and interest. Her name was a loved household word, and much was willingly undertaken to receive a word of commendation from "Miss Issy." Her love to God was not alone in words, but in deeds, many and quiet. The loving work she intended to do she did faithfully, and was early called to a higher, nobler trust. Yet still in the service of the same loving Master, we believe her working in the same gentle, quiet spirit, being perfected and promoted up and into the very presence of the Father. We do sorrow that we shall see her face no more, but her memory will be like a benediction among us who are still bearing the burden, and will inspire to pure and modest deeds, and incite us to exalt and beautify our own lives. Almost her final earthly work was preparing the last Report of this Society; before it was distributed, she had awakened "in newness of life."

"We love thee! Thou art fortunate and pure,
Past trials now."

REPORT.

THE Managers of the Boston Children's Friend Society, on its fifty-second anniversary, wish, in accordance with their usual custom, to give to their friends and to the public an account of their stewardship.

The life within this Home from day to day and from year to year is practically unvarying and uneventful, at least as far as important changes are concerned. Its experiences and routine are very similar to those of private families, and offer very little or nothing to record that is not perfectly familiar to every one, and that has not been written over and over again. A retrospection, however, at this time brings to us the painful realization that the past year has been one in which the peaceful and happy flow of events has been disturbed by affliction and sorrow, occasioned by the removal from our midst of two beloved co-workers.

Besides this cause, which has made the year an eventful one, it is notable, also, for the change in the rules of the Home in regard to receiving boys.

It had been found for some time that the building was not large enough for the demands upon it, and it became necessary to limit strictly the number of inmates.

Now every Manager loves the boys quite as well as the girls; it was, therefore, sorrowfully and reluctantly that the final vote was taken that no more boys could be admitted. When those who are still with us leave, no more will be received; in future it will be a home for girls only.

Our grateful thanks are due those friends who so kindly and liberally helped the Managers in preparing for the Mayday Festival. Notwithstanding the day was unfortunately stormy, it proved the most successful, financially, that we have ever had. As each year the knowledge of, and interest in, this Home increases, the Managers are enabled to add by these means to the comfort of the inmates.

It is interesting to notice the spirit of charity among some children in fortunate circumstances and comfortable homes. One table prepared by some young girls and their friends returned seventy-eight dollars as a result of the day's sale.

Hotels and individuals who were called upon contributed most generously ice-cream and provisions of all kinds, so that the dining-room, transformed for the day into a restaurant, added much to the comfort of visitors, and the committee in charge were thereby enabled to furnish everything the best of its kind and still to make it a source of income.

Each season brings something in the way of repairs and remodeling. The Home has been built thirty-seven years, and has had a severe test of its powers of endurance. It has in all cases proved entirely satisfactory, and reflects credit on the honesty of its builders; but like all temporary affairs, time and different conditions bring need of changes. The past summer has forced upon us many and varied, but unquestionably needed improvements. Every Manager now takes the satisfaction of an individual housekeeper in the thought that all is safe, sweet and clean, from the plumbing to the whitewashing. We most cordially invite an inspection of the Home, assured that, like the Board of Health, visitors will "see nothing with which to find fault."

The summer has been a pleasant one for the children at the Home. Although they do not go to the country for the season, they have enjoyed so much the more the excursions planned for them, which their school-teacher thus very happily describes: "The summer excursions began with two trips to Lake Walden, in connection with the Sunday-schools of the Warren Avenue and Clarendon Street Churches. The children were invited to the picnics by their good friend, Mr. George H. Quincy. They were very happy with the

swings, tilts, etc., and all had the plea e dride around the lake. They had kind attention from both societies, and came home happy and satisfied.

"Rev. Mr. Waldron has given the entire household several excursions to Roxbury Park. All the days were full of hap-

piness for the little ones.

"The 20th of July was unusual in its pleasure. The whole family, even the babies, had a part in the enjoyment. The party left the cars at Seaver street, where they were met by barges and carriages. The carriage containing the ten babies, with their happy little faces peeping out of their white bonnets, was indeed worthy of the attention it received.

"One of the little ones less than three years of age, while returning in the cars, began to sing, 'Jesus loves me.' She was so tired with the unusual excitement and happiness that the sleepy eyelids closed and the song was unfinished. On reaching Rutland street the wee lady was awakened, and as she was lifted from the cars the happy little voice went on with the singing, 'Yes, Jesus loves me'; not a note was lost.

"The visit to Austin Farms is deserving of mention. Those who witnessed the assembly of old ladies who welcomed the little flock will long remember the interested faces and the many questions and the earnest 'God bless you' which came

from so many lips.

"Through the kindness of Rev. Mr. Waldron, September 3d was spent at Nantasket Beach. It was a happy day for them all, and they enjoyed all the pastimes children find there, — digging in the sand, riding on the 'horses' and in the swings. After dinner at the Centre House, a long ride on the Jerusalem road added to the wonderful experience of the day. One of the girls exclaimed in a tone of deep regret, 'It was a beautiful ride, was it not; but we did not see Jerusalem!'

"The summer pleasures are over, and the girls have begun the year's work in the school-room with courage. The outlook for the school is full of hope. Kind friends have presented some books of reference; these, with the needed supply of t vt pocks bought from the proceeds of the children's sale at the May-day festival, have made it possible to accomplish more and better work than ever before.

"The girls are willing and obedient, and the progress is sure, if not rapid. There are many interruptions foreign to public schools, still the work has been blessed abundantly and crowned with success greater than we have asked or thought."

Mr. E. G. Loomis provided a home for two children for a week in the country.

The Managers of the Fresh-Air Fund from the Christian Union have shown much kindness.

Mrs. Shaw, of Dorchester, has during the summer sent flowers. Her daughter, when living, was one of the honored Managers of this Society.

The ladies of the Christian Temperance Union have brought bouquets every Saturday, which the children have greatly enjoyed, and at the close of the season each child was presented with a potted plant.

Deacon S. G. Wilkins has for many years given an hour every Monday in the school-room in religious instruction. The seed sown so untiringly and faithfully cannot fail to bring forth abundantly.

Some of the older girls who have shown a desire to know something of music have been gratified; and in one instance, for more than two years a young lady has kindly offered her services to teach, and another has, during the past six months, been teaching one of the school-girls; so, thanks to these kind friends, pleasure has been given, and we trust the result will prove satisfactory.

It has often been remarked that the children of the Home dressed too much, and there has been much criticism; but the fact is, that the friends of the Society have sent such generous donations of half-worn and out-grown clothing that it has not been necessary to buy material for any of the children whom the Society clothe — except in one instance — for more than two years. And in regard to hats, one dealer this summer sent fifty-eight, and another, several with trimmings.

This will explain the seeming extravagance, and give us the opportunity to renew our thanks to these friends and solicit a continuance of the kindness, without which it would be a serious question to meet the constant demand.

By the books of the Home it is shown that twenty-eight children have been admitted and twenty-seven dismissed; present number of inmates seventy.

For a family of so many children as this, of all ages, from babies upward, their uninterrupted good health has been remarkable, and is a cause for gratitude. For this very satisfactory condition of health and for the perfectly comfortable, contented and happy appearance of the children, we feel in no small degree indebted to our Matron, and Teacher, and their assistants.

In closing, we entreat urgently your thoughtful consideration of the work that is being achieved, which we have endeavored, in a very limited way, to present in this report. Children that come within the care of this Society are, as you have seen, reared with anxious solicitude, with the object of fitting them for lives of independence and usefulness. Upon reaching the prescribed age they are placed in good homes where protection is guaranteed by their surroundings, as well as by the teachings instilled during their stay at the Home, against the temptations that abound and seem to augment with the ever-increasing growth of our city.

In the discharge of this sacred trust many expenses are of necessity incurred, to meet which we have to rely largely upon voluntary gifts. The income from our invested fund being comparatively small and entirely inadequate, we are almost wholly dependent upon the benevolent, and ask earnestly all those who have the future lives of these little ones at heart — and who has not? — for a generous response to this appeal.

In behalf of the Managers.

Annie C. Drake, Corresponding Secretary, pro tem.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

DR. 1885.—OCT. 29. To Board of Children, \$2,589 40 Annual subscriptions,* . 937 00 CONTRIBUTIONS: By Mt. Vernon Congregational Church—Annual sermon by the Pastor, Rev. S. E. Herrick, \$64 23 Old South Church. 207 52 Shawmut Congregational Society, . . . 270 00 First Congregational Church, Newton Centre, 5 00 Net proceeds of the May Day Festival,† . . 1,322 18 1.868 93 DONATIONS: Mr. Lansing Millis, to cancel the indebtedness \$108 30 on last year's account. Mrs. Amos W. Stetson, . 5 00 Miss Harriet Gray, . . . 35 00 Messrs. T. R. Marvin & Son. . 10 00 "H." 25 00 Mr. Amos P. Tapley, 5 00 Massachusetts Charitable Fire Society, 100 00 Jay and Marion Grandin, Tidioute, Pa., . 10 00 Mrs. J. Conant, 5 00 Mr. George H. Green, 5 00 Miss Mary P. Quincy, 2 00 Friends, \$1, \$2, . . 3 00 Rev. F. Courtney, from the Easter offering of

25 00

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St. Paul's Church.

Special Donations for Repairs: Mr. Francis Jones, \$5, \$5,

Mr. Charles S. Kendall, . . .

Mr. Ezra Farnsworth, .

Amounts carried forward,

^{*} Full particulars of these will be found on pages 15 to 22.

[†] For details of receipts included in this amount, see pages 26 and following.

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Mr. Herbert May, .			٠			I 00	
Mr. Benjamin E. Cole,			٠		•	5 00	
Mr. A. S. Woodworth,						10 00	
Mr. G. H. Quincy, .						17 19	
Mrs. Lansing Millis, .						5 00	
Mrs. L. M. Standish,						5 00	
Mrs. Samuel Johnson,						5 00	
Mrs. Daniel Ahl, .						2 00	
Mrs. W. C. Child, .						I 00	
Mrs. J. E. Daniels, .						I 00	
Mrs. S. S. Cudworth,						1 00	
Mrs. Martin L. Hall,						5 00	
Mrs. J. W. Converse,						5 00	
Mr. Thomas Simpson, Pr	ovi	dence,	R. I	. • •		14 50	
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Mrs. R. M. Pomeroy,						25 00	
Mrs. Daniel Ahl,	•	•	•	•	•	25 00	
Mrs. John C. Lane, .	•	•			•	25 00	
Wis. John C. Lane, .	•		•	•		25 00	75 00
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John M. Clark, Execut	or,						500 00
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^{*} Other Life Members, by special payment at the May-Day Festival, will be found enumerated on page 26.

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Fuel, .								•		407	62
Repairs, .										885	86
Care of Lot a										3	00
Insurance,										69	00
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Fund, .										35	00
Current Expe	nses,									6,821	95
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S. T. SNOW, TREASURER.

Boston, Oct. 30, 1885.—We have examined the foregoing account, and find it correct, with proper vouchers, showing a balance to be due to the Treasurer of one hundred and forty-six dollars and seventy-two cents (\$146.72).

EZRA FARNSWORTH, Auditors.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following given on such conditions that the income only can be made use	ng amounts, of:—
From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year 1853	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the Fennelly Fund," received March 6th, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4th, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4th, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received ——, March 13th, 1867, and Dec. 1st, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said Institution for investment and income in support	
thereof," received Feb. 10th, 1872	1,000 00
and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16th, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9th, 1877	00 001
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving Dinners," received Nov. 21st, 1878	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8th, 1879	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	-
25th, 1884	5,000 00
	\$23,770 00

FORM OF A BEQUEST.

Item. — I (A. B.,) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society. And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at II A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty — or, in her absence, of a Vice-President — to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts, approved by the President, or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors'

books and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. 11. A Committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting, to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the Officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each Annual Meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof, by the unanimous vote of said Board.

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REPORT.

At the last annual meeting many friends of this Society were grieved to learn that the Managers, after thoughtfully considering the subject, had decided to limit their care in the future to girls, since the accommodations at the Home on Rutland Street were not adapted to both boys and girls, and girls have always formed the large majority there. By reason of this decision, no more boys would be admitted and in a few years those already in the Home having reached the age at which homes outside had heretofore been found, would, in their turn, leave the care of the Society and its Home would become a Girls' Home.

Doubtless many remember the Rev. Dr. Courtney's earnest appeal for the boys, and the interest he took in the one boy present from the Home that afternoon. From this time, members and friends of the Society considered with added earnestness, the best means of providing for friendless boys; and a meeting, resulting from this thought, was held at the Home in January, at which the Board of Advisers earnestly requested the Managers to reconsider their vote. At this time, one of the best friends of the Home said that he had already arranged for a concert for the boys' benefit, to take place in February; at the same meeting a committee of five was appointed to collect money for the care of boys, and several plans for their accommodation were suggested. With an efficient committee to raise money, and with plans already made for a successful concert for the same purpose, the Man-

agers declared themselves willing to do all in their power to further the interests of boys coming to them for care, but it was clearly understood by all present, that the Rutland Street Home could accommodate no more boys, unless some unfailing provision were made for their removal to another Home when they should reach the age of five; and it was accordingly decided to raise money enough for a new Home, to be under the management of the same Society.

On the sixteenth of February, the concert, at which the Longwood Minstrels generously gave their services, took place and was of course a great success, realizing sixteen hundred and thirty dollars and fifty cents. The movement thus encouragingly begun, was pushed forward so rapidly by the very earnest committee, including as its most untiring worker the friend to whose efforts the concert was due; and by ladies and gentlemen in the various churches interested in the Society, that, by the middle of April, sixteen thousand dollars were raised, and soon after the pleasant Home at Dedham, with its eight acres of land, was purchased for less than the sum collected. Donations for furnishing the house were requested, and the response was so prompt and liberal, that early in June the Home was ready for occupancy, and on the eleventh of the month its dedication took place, the exercises consisting of prayer, Scripture reading, addresses by several clergymen, the reading, by the Rev. S. F. Smith, of a hymn which he had written for the occasion, singing by the Longwood Minstrels, and an address by the President of the Society. These services were held in a large tent in front of the house; afterward a collation, provided by one of the Society, was served there, and from that time until the close of the pleasant afternoon, bringing with it the train for home, the many people present thoroughly inspected the house, decorated with flowers by the ladies of the town, and showed by their smiling faces, if in no other way, their satisfaction in it and its surroundings.

The services of an excellent Matron were already secured and twelve boys were admitted at once, the limit, for a short

time, being fixed at fifteen; since that time it has been raised and the Home now contains twenty-one boys. Its sunny beginning seems to have been prophetic of its first few months, for the children have passed this time happily and generally in excellent health. If they did not already feel identified with the town before its recent celebration, all doubts must have vanished since they have helped to celebrate its great antiquity by taking part in that day's procession.

Before the close of June, the boys were invited by the Rev. A. M. Backus, rector of St. Paul's Church at Dedham, to attend that church regularly, its officers having voted to set apart seats which the boys were asked to occupy, free of expense. The cordial invitation was gratefully accepted.

Johnnie Cooper, the one boy present at the meeting last November, became so lonely at the Home on Rutland Street, since he declined to play with the girls of his own age and found the babies his only playmates, that it was decided, as the new home might not be ready for a long time, to place him at the Farm School, where he was admitted in February, and of which he continues to be a very satisfactory member.

The annual sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Meredith, at the Union Church, early in December, the children contributing to the services by songs and recitations of Scripture.

To the list of life members the names of Mrs. F. A. Foster and of J. C. Lane, Esq., have been added the past year. The Society has recently sustained a great loss in the resignations of Mrs. C. D. Gould and Mrs. Wm. L. Libby, whose services as Managers have been of great value to the Home.

At the Rutland Street Home the year has been a prosperous and happy one, the health of the children has been generally good, and the few cases of illness have yielded quickly to the skillful and devoted care which the children have received from Dr. Holyoke, and from the Matron and her assistants whose interest for their well-being is inexhaustible. In addition to the valuable services which Dr. Holyoke has given, not only this year but also for the previous eight years, Dr. Walker has given his services as consulting physician, Dr. F. L. Jack has kindly taken care of the eyes and ears, while Dr. Chandler has given his dental services. The Managers deeply appreciate the kindness of these gentlemen.

Both boys and girls are received at this Home, the boys to remain until the age of five, when they are to be placed in the Home at Dedham. At present the family here numbers sixty-nine; forty-six have been admitted during the year and twenty-eight dismissed.

The May Day Festival was even more successful than in former years, and the Managers are greatly indebted to the many friends of the Home whose donations at that time added so much to its comfort. The table, in the hall near the school room, containing the children's work and being under their charge, was not neglected, though so far away from the other tables, its patrons doing for it almost as much as the children could have desired, namely, buying almost every article it contained. The proceeds belonged to the children and, as before, were wisely used.

The sunny school room is a pleasant place to visit, and is even more attractive this fall than before, with its new kindergarten department for the larger nursery children, who are patiently taught by a young girl brought up in the Home. During the past year an experienced teacher has given her the practical kindergarten training, and not stopping with this, having taken a great interest in this new department at the Home, she has given it much valuable kindergarten material, which, in addition to the outfit bought with the money from the children's May Day table, enables this new branch of the school to begin its work most satisfactorily.

Deacon Wilkins has held a prayer meeting once a week in the school room the past year, as he had already done for more than thirty years. The cordial greetings which all, even the youngest children give him whenever he visits the Home, show how strong and beautiful an influence he has over them. On the occasion of his golden wedding last November, the children showed their love and their appreciation of his kindly service to them, by the gift of a basket of golden asters to Mrs. Wilkins and himself, which brought a loving response from their friend.

Every week during the summer the members of the Society of Christian Endeavor, of Dr. Packard's church, as well as ladies from one of the flower missions, have brought flowers to the Home. A little boy who accompanied his mother on one of these visits, said to her sometime afterward, "Mamma, when you and papa die, I shall go to my drawer, take my clothes, pack them in a bundle, and go down to the Rutland Street Home, and tell them I want to come there and live, because my mamma used to carry flowers there." Many of the plants given the children a year ago, after brightening the school room through the cold months and being freshened in the yard last summer, are again in the school room in good condition.

The Rev. Mr. Waldron has given the children several pleasant excursions, taking them to Nantasket, July seventh, to Franklin Park, July nineteenth, to Austin Farm on the twenty-ninth of the same month, and to Nantasket again on the twenty-seventh of August. The last day of summer fifty of the children, through Mr. Waldron's kind planning, spent at Centennial Grove, Essex, with one of the Essex Sabbath Schools. Mr. Waldron has also, by means of the "Fresh Air Fund," given a number of car tickets, which have added to the summer's pleasure.

In closing their report of this year, so important in the Society's history, bringing as it has greater responsibility, as well as greater opportunity to help friendless children, the Managers wish to express their gratitude to the friends whose substantial help has made the Boys' Home a possibility, to all whose donations have helped to make the two Homes comfortable, as well as to all who have, in any way, contributed to the children's happiness or improvement.

In other years it has been customary to remind all interested in this cause, that the Society is very dependent for its success upon contributions of money, as well as upon dona-

tions of all other things needed to make a home comfortable, and this year those interested in the Society's efforts for the well being of friendless boys and girls, are very earnestly asked to feel this request with twice its usual force and, if possible, to respond in the same proportion.

In behalf of the Managers.

KATIE M. MASON, Corresponding Secretary.

BOYS' HOME.

THE Committee on the Boys' Home in Dedham have reported to the Board of Managers, and to the public also, so fully in regard to this enterprise, that it would be unneccessary to do it again, were not this the annual meeting of the Boston Children's Friend Society, into which should enter, for publication, a statement of the facts in regard to this substantial addition to the property and work of the Society, and the names of those who contributed to the successful result. We shall, however, be brief.

For many years the Managers of the Children's Home on Rutland Street have been greatly troubled to provide for boys who had reached the age at which some other provision for them was imperative. For girls there were always applications from good homes; for boys of an early age there were few. That good old Boston institution, the Farm School, was available to a limited extent, as well as that newer and equally promising charity, the Liversedge Home, Dorchester, in both of which we are represented by boys, and to the Managers of both we are under equal obligations for doing all they could to relieve us in this respect. It still remained, however, that we must either discriminate against receiving boys, or expect them to go from our Home to those Municipal and State institutions which receive so many poor and neglected boys - The Marcella Street Home, Boston, and The State Primary School, Monson. In this exigency, one of the friends of the Society, in its Board of Advisers, thought it wise we should have a Boys' Home, separate and distinct from that on Rutland Street, but under the same corporate

management, and he proceeded quietly to organize a plan by which to call public attention to this need, and raise the money to supply it. We need hardly remind any one present that it is to those well-known amateurs, the "Longwood Minstrels," we are indebted for that first impetus which carried through the plan of our wise and earnest friend. These young men, from our best social and business circles, were, some of them, friends of the Society; and as they had already employed their musical and dramatic skill in the service of a good cause, it was quite natural they should, when the facts became known to them, lend a hand in this effort "to save the boys."

The result was an entertainment, to a very large audience, in Tremont Temple, in the month of February last, which itself realized the sum of \$1,638, and, with a telegram received that evening from a friend in Tidioute, Penn., that he would be good for the first or last five hundred dollars, together made a sum so large that, with the good feeling and enthusiasm also aroused in behalf of the object, success seemed to be already assured. And so it was. For, in about three months thereafter, the subscriptions taken for this object had amounted to nearly \$16,000, and your Committee were prepared, after careful examination of various estates in Boston and vicinity, to buy the property in Dedham already known to many of you by personal observation. It was bought, as the Treasurer's Report shows, for \$13,000, and in the month of June last dedicated, on which occasion its pleasant grounds and commodious building were seen and approved by many old friends of the Boston Home. Among those present were not a few of the good men and women of this ancient town, with the pastors of the churches, who gave us and our work a welcome and Godspeed. In the work of fitting up the new Home, these new friends in Dedham have been of substantial service to the ladies to whom this arduous task was committed, and the published report of these proceedings will contain not only the subscriptions first referred to, but also a statement of all donors and their gifts

towards furnishing the large and comfortable mansion house on the estate. These gifts amounted in money to \$839, and, together with articles contributed, were sufficient to equip, in a home-like way, all but the large drawing-room. This, however, during the summer, served an admirable purpose, as a temporary nursery for the "babies" from Rutland Street, of whom ten were transported to Dedham, with all their cribs and belongings, and to whom this change to sweet country air was most salutary. The experiment was so satisfactory that it may be repeated. There are now twenty boys in this new home. We purpose to add beds for ten more—thirty in all—enough for the limitations of this one roof. Under the excellent superintendence of Mrs. Benedict and her son, the whole object and purpose of this charity is being successfully accomplished.

It has been repeatedly stated, this is *not* a reformatory institution, but a Home for good and obedient boys. If, after fair trial, any boy received into it fails to profit by its kind discipline and wholesome requirements, he will not be retained, but give place to others who will.

It will be seen by the Treasurer's Report that there is a balance due the Boys' Home of say \$1,438.90. It is not desirable that this balance should be used for the current expenses of the Society, but retained as a building fund, in contemplation at no distant date of some requirement in this direction. As our boys advance in years, it may be a wise thing to start them in the line of some useful industry, and a modest building for that purpose would be needed.

JONATHAN A. LANE,

For the Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

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1886.—Oct. 30.								
To Board of Children,				•	•	•	•	\$1,641 77
Annual Subscriptions,	•	•	٠	•	•	,	•	1,012 00
Contributions:								
By the Union Congrega	tiona	l Chi	irch-	-Ann	ual			
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a special payment to	cons	titute	Mr.	JOHN	C.			
LANE of Norwood, a	Life	Mem	ber,			\$100	00	
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Net proceeds of the Ma	ay Da	ay Fe	stival	, .		1,414	00	
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Mrs. Wm. B. Wood, tow	rards	the o	defici	t of la	ast			
year,						\$30	00	
Mr. J. D. Farnsworth,						25	00	
Mr. H. D. Yerxa, .	•	•	•	•		10	00	
Mrs. Amos W. Stetson,						5	00	
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Mr. Eliab Parker, .						5	00	
Mr. W. Q. Wales, .						2	00	
Miss F. S. Leach, .						2	00	
"A Friend,"						2	75	
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Messrs. T. R. Marvin and	d So	n,	•	•	•	20	25	
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Amounts carried forwar	d,					\$217	00	\$4,391 70

Amounts brought forward, \$217 00 Mrs. Elbridge Torrey, - 5 00 Mr. George H. Green, . 5 00 Miss Annie A. Storrow, . 10 00 Mrs. Ira M. Conant, . 2 00 Massachusetts Charitable Fire Society, 100 00 Mr. Stephen G. Deblois, . 10 00	\$4,391 70
LEGACY: From the Estate of Mrs. Ellen A. Cooke of Boston, being the specific bequest contained in her Will,	349 °° 500 °°
INCOMES: From Invested Funds, 2,268 00 George O. Hovey's Fund for Thanksgiving Dinners,	2.303 00
LIFE MEMBERS: Mrs. F. A. Foster,	25 00
HOME FOR BOYS: Special Subscriptions * obtained by a Committee consisting of Messrs. George H. Quincy, Jonathan A. Lane, F. B. Allen, and others,	15,700 10 11 34
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By Balance due to Treasurer from former Account,	\$146 72
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S. T. SNOW, Treasurer.

BOSTON, October 30, 1886. We have examined the foregoing account and find it correct, with proper vouchers, showing a balance to be due to the Treasurer of eleven $\frac{84}{100}$ dollars, and a balance in his hands of fourteen hundred and thirty-eight $\frac{90}{100}$ dollars contributed and held specifically for the Boys' Home at Dedham.

EZRA FARNSWORTH, SAMUEL N. BROWN,

Auditors.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following given on such conditions that the income only can be made use	ng amounts
From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year	A
1853	\$2,000 00
Fennelly Fund," received March 6th, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4th, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4th, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received	.,
—, March 13th, 1867, and Dec. 1st, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said Institution for investment and income in support	
thereof," received Feb. 10th, 1872	
Erom the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society	
forever," received May 16th, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9th, 1877	
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanks-	
giving Dinners," received Nov. 21st, 1878	
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the	500 00
permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8th, 1879	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25th,	
1884	
	\$23,77.0 00
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FORM OF A BEQUEST.

Item. — I (A. B.), do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society. And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the "Boston Children's Friend Society."

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at II A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts, approved by the President, or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors'

books and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A Committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting, to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the Officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each Annual Meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof, by the unanimous vote of said Board.

ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an Annual Meeting.

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FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Boston Children's Friend Society.

NOVEMBER 2, 1887.

"Whosoever shall receive one of such children in My name, receiveth Me."—MARK ix. 37.

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REPORT.

The two Homes have seen the year pass with few changes. The general health has been good, except at the Rutland-Street Home during the summer, when there were many cases of illness, but all yielded quickly to the good care which the patients received.

The following figures show the whole number at present in each Home, also the admissions and dismissals during the year:—

Whole number at the Rutland-Stree	et Ho	me,	69
Admitted during the year,			38
Dismissed during the year,			43
Whole number at the Boys' Home,			30
Admitted during the year,		•	26
Dismissed during the year,			17

Six children, previously dismissed, have returned to the former Home, and one child to the Home at Dedham.

The Rutland-Street Home has seen great changes in its corps of officers during the year. In May, Miss Perkins resigned. She had served very faithfully and acceptably as Matron for the past four years, and the Manager, with the deepest regret, accepted her resignation, which took effect July 1st. Her interest in and sympathy for the children were

very great, and her desire to do the best she could for every child, whether under her care for a long or short time, gave every one full confidence in her. The Manager looks back with much gratitude upon her efficient and loving service.

An amusing story is told of the last Christmas at this Home. One of the children had received a toy, which was soon broken. Its owner carried it with great confidence to the Matron asking her to mend it, but unfortunately she could not do it, whereupon another child sagely remarked, "Well, if she can't do it it can't be done, unless God, or Mr. Piper (the carpenter) can."

Fortunately for the children, Miss Clara Perkins, whose services as teacher for several years have been thoroughly acceptable, consented to take her sister's place and the Home life has moved on smoothly and pleasantly. The new teacher, appointed to take Miss Perkins' place, began her work in September, while during the summer the children were taught by a young girl educated at the Home.

The Boys' Home at Dedham has proved to be all that its friends expected, and under the wise management of its Matron and her assistant is a model Home. Such it must seem to the boys who come to it from poor lodgings, where they have suffered for want of sufficient food and clothing, and have had to see others suffer in the same way. They cannot fail to place the Longwood Minstrels, whose efforts last winter in their behalf were thoroughly successful, among their most devoted and helpful friends.

During the year one boy showed his appreciation of this Home by voluntarily offering the small sum which, as choir boy, he earned every month, when he found that his mother could no longer pay for his board at the Home. He was allowed to have the satisfaction of feeling that he could do something toward his own support.

At the Rutland-Street Home, the May Day festival surpassed those of former years in its results, a fact which shows how steadily this festival is growing in popular favor. A stranger visiting the pleasant house at any time during that

day, and watching the happy children in their school-room, and the smaller children in the nursery, with the many friends who had come to see them, must have been impressed very pleasantly by the Home. At one time, the nursery children, left alone for a little time, and hearing the singing in the upper room where the older children were entertaining their guests, came towards the hall door; one little fellow placed his small chair near the threshold, two or three children placed themselves near him, and they then tried to sing and in their small way to rival the exercises up stairs, evidently hoping to draw immediate notice to themselves. They were not without visitors much of the time, but found it difficult tolive without them a moment. Among their most devoted friends was the kind man who gave his whole day to the careof the door and the direction of guests; whenever he could be spared from his post in the hall it was safe to look first for him in the nursery, where he could often be found with the children about him

At this festival two new names, those of Mrs. C. P. Adams and Mrs. Albert Gay were added to the list of life members, and the net receipts from the sale amounted to more than seventeen hundred dollars.

The first Christmas at Dedham was both delightful and rather unusual in its length. It began some days before Christmas, when eight sleds were received from a Boston lady; afterwards the boys were included in the celebration at St. Paul's Church, where all were pleasantly remembered; then a lady entertained her Sunday School class, consisting of eight or ten of the boys, at her home; and, finally, came the celebration at the Home itself, where there was a Christmas tree containing gifts of clothing, toys, books, candy, etc. This celebration took place on the evening of December 30th; many friends of the Home were present, among them about fifty townspeople, and some friends from Boston, including the Longwood Minstrels who delighted all present with their songs. The boys themselves sang and recited, their chief exercise being a cantata, consisting of queries about Christmas.

and Santa Claus, during which Santa Claus himself appeared and distributed his gifts to the apparently sleeping children, who suddenly seemed to awake from their sleep; then they besieged their benefactor with questions about himself and his home. Afterwards he sang for them, and, at his request, they sang for him. The cantata was arranged for the boys by a lady whose interest in them has led her to interest many others in them and their home. Other ladies arranged the programme which made the evening a very pleasant one. A collation was prepared by the ladies of the town.

In November Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lane gave the boys a party, and in January Mrs. Hewins gave them a magic-lantern entertainment; while Mrs. Gay and Mrs. Sawyer helped the girls to celebrate Washington's Birthday.

In April it was decided to send some of the boys at Dedham to another Church, thereby interesting another society in them. Accordingly a part were sent to the Congational Church, in whose Sunday School they are taught by one of the ladies on the local committee for the Home, while the rest remain at St. Paul's Church, three of the number being in its choir. The rector and people of this Church have shown their interest in this new Home in many kind and helpful ways.

During the summer, each Home has enjoyed several excursions. The children at Rutland-Street went with Dr. A. J. Gordon's Sabbath School to Shawsheen River Grove; they have also been twice to Franklin Park, and once to Nantasket Beach. Through the Rev. Mr. Waldron they have received numerous horse-car tickets and a carriage drive has been furnished six times for the invalids. Early in the summer, a large part of the yard near the house was covered with a board flooring, and this part was shut off from the street by a high board fence, so that the smallest children could spend much of the hot weather out doors, undisturbed and unnoticed by the passers by.

As the boys live in the country, excursions are not so necessary for them as for the children in the city Home, but

they, too, have had their turn and have reason to remember very pleasantly the kindness of Mr. H. B. Endicott, of Dedham, who sent them to Nantasket one day under Mr. Waldron's care.

As it seemed necessary to employ the boys a portion of each day during the summer vacation, Mr. Benedict, the Assistant Superintendent, has had a little school at the Home for some weeks.

The Quincy Club of Dedham, consisting of nine young girls, was formed this year for the purpose of working for the Boys' Home. Aided by the Local Committee they planned a fair which took place at the Home one afternoon and evening late in September and proved a decided success; the money received was invested and is to be used in furnishing some part of a new building to be erected near the Home building.

It is interesting to know that the large garden at the Dedham Home has furnished, this summer, almost all the vegetables needed by the family there.

The Managers feel very grateful to Drs. Holyoke, Walker, and Jack, for their services to the Rutland-Street Home, and to Drs. Babcock and Chase for similar services to the boys; also, to the dentists, Dr. Rogers, of Boston, and Dr. Bradley, of Dedham, for their services to the respective Homes. They remember with gratitude the kindness of Dr. Chandler, the dentist, whose interest in the Home on Rutland Street induced him to give his services to the children for several years until, during the last year, he has moved away from that part of the City. They also wish to ackowledge the kindness of Mr. Charles I. Eaton who, until this fall, has for fifteen years contributed the medicine needed at the city Home. Mr. Murdock has also given medicine to the same Home, and its children have enjoyed the drives which he has given them.

Deacon Wilkins has met the children at this Home one afternoon every week for prayer and Bible study: a loving service which has its own reward.

The concert, given by Dr. and Mrs. Fenderson and their friends for the benefit of the Rutland-Street Home, made possible some comforts which had for a long time seemed desirable, and is warmly acknowledged by the Managers; they also wish at this time to thank Mr. Thomas Hall and Mr. G. H. Quincy for their gift of a magic lantern to the Boys' Home; the ladies and Sunday School of St. Paul's Church in Dedham for their generous Lenten contribution to the same; and the friend who has had sewing done for the Rutland-Street Home during the summer. The valuable services of the press during the year are also acknowledged with many thanks; especial thanks are due the editor of the Dedham Standard for extending in that town the knowledge of the new Home, its aims, and needs.

All persons interested in aiding poor and unfortunate children know the importance of the work which this report has simply hinted at, and they can see in how many ways the work can be enlarged and made increasingly useful: from them a continued and practical interest is asked and expected. Homes like these can never have too much help, as the poor children of our city, for our own good as well as their own, can never have too good care.

Those still uninterested are most earnestly invited to visit these two Homes, to see them often, to study their aims, to interest not themselves only, but others also in this work, which seems very important to those in charge of it, and thus by their sympathy and practical support to make the work grow in all directions, so that while the children, who come to this society for care, are under its control, they may receive such a lasting impression that they may grow up good and useful men and women.

At present, the chief need felt is that of an industrial department for the Boys' Home. Already, a fund is being raised for this purpose and it is hoped that before many months the boys may enjoy its training.

In closing, the Managers wish to thank all the friends, who, during the year, have contributed in any way to the happiness

and well-being of the children, and to ask, at the same time, their continued, loving, and prayerful, interest in the year just beginning.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON, Corresponding Secretary.

NOTE. — During the year, on several occasions, the songs and recitations of the boys were listened to with great interest and pleasure.

They were heard at the G. A. R. Fair, the Lecture by Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the Norfolk Co. W. C. T. U. Convention, the Methodist Church Fair, and at several Sunday School Concerts.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

HOME FOR BOYS AT DEDHAM.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

DR. 1887.—OCT. 29. To Balance held specifically therefor from former account, . . \$1,438 90 Board of Children, . 947 22 DONATIONS: Miss M. L. Clarke, . \$5 00 Mrs. C. A. Johnson, 100 00 Mrs. J. Arthur Beebe, 50 00 Mr. Amos P. Tapley, Mr. Geo. H. Quincy, as per detailed statement of Mar. 25, 1887,* Miss Henrietta Capen, I 00 The Longwood Minstrels, 25 00 Mr. James S. Stone, 100 00 427 64 To Sale of Hay, 61 10 Balance, being excess of expenditures over receipts, carried to general account,† . 1,150 63 \$4,025 49

MR. S. T. Snow, Treas. CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY:

Dear Sir.—The enclosed correspondence* explains itself. I have invested this money, and hold myself personally responsible for the same, and when the amount reaches \$225) two hundred and twenty-five dollars, I will pay the same into the treasury, to be used for the current expenses.

Yours truly, GEORGE HENRY QUINCY.

^{*}In this Statement the following donations are acknowledged and accounted for: — Mr. O. M. -Wentworth, \$25; Mr. S. N. Brown, \$25; Mr. O. W. Peabody, \$25; Mrs. Sam'l Little, \$10; Mr. W. T. Hart, \$50; Mrs. W. B. Strong, \$25; Mrs. Lansing Millis, \$100; Mr. Thos. Sampson Lawrence, for beds, \$25; Mr. Henry L. Millis, \$25; Mr. E. Bowman, Topeka, Kansas, Christmas, \$25; Miss Anna B. Manning, toward the furnishing of a room to be called the Dr. Manning Room, contributed by her Sabbath School class, \$75. Total, \$410.

[†] This balance is produced by the books as they stand. Meantime, however, other sums have been obtained not yet received into the treasury, as will appear by the following:—

^{*} The correspondence alluded to is between Mr. Quincy and the Quincy Club, of Dedham, consisting of young ladies who had recently prepared and held a fair for this object, producing the net sum of \$200.

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By payments for Fuel,				\$248 68
Repairs and Insurance,				422 50
Current Expenses, .				3,354 31
				\$4,025 49

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED IN 1886, TO OBTAIN FUNDS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HOME FOR BOYS.

Boston, October 28, 1887.

SAM'L T. SNOW, Esq., Treas. of the Boston Children's Friend Society.

Dear Sir:—We beg to report that as the result of the entertainment given by the Longwood Minstrels, in February last, together with subscriptions made at the time, per statement herewith and interest earned — we hold the sum of \$2,000 safely invested, for which we hold ourselves responsible. The precise method of its use to be determined later, by the association of young gentlemen who have done so much for our Society. We would add that it is expected to make a large addition to this sum as the result of entertainments for which the minstrels are now making preparations, when it is quite likely they will take definite and final action as to the use of these funds for the benefit of the Society.

Proceeds of concert by the Longwood Minstrels, from H. S.

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Carruth, .							\$1,572 68
Albert A. Pope, .							100 00
Col. Chas. H. Taylor,	of t	he Gl	obe,				50 00
Gustavo Preston,							25 00
F. R. Lefferts, New Y	ork,						25 00
Miss Emily L. Flande	rs, 1	V. Y.,					5 00
Thomas Mack, .							2 50
Henry Arnold, Provid	ence	ε, .					2 00
E. B. Robbins, .							1 00
Friend,							1 00
Overture music sold,							5 00
T. E. Bowman & Co.,	To	peka,	Kans	sas,			100 00
Interest to date, .							110 82
							\$2.000 00

Yours most truly,

JONATHAN A. LANE, GEGRGE HENRY QUINCY, FRED. B. ALLEN,

Committee.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOC'ETY.

Dr.			
1887.—OCT. 29.			
To Board of Children,			
Annual Subscriptions,		•	1,043 00
CONTRIBUTIONS: Shawmut Congregational Society, annual			
for 1886, \$153	5.2		
Shawmut Congregational Society, annual	33		
for 1887, 155	65		
	<u>309</u>	18	
Proceeds of a Concert given at the Rutland St.			
Home by Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Fenderson, .		00	
Net Proceeds of the May-Day Festival, includ-			
ing special receipts at the Candy Table to con-			
stitute Mrs. C. P. Adams and Mrs. Albert			
W. GAY Life Members, Old South Church, annual,			
Old South Charen, annual,	240	39	2,377 62
Donations:			,3,,,
Mrs. L. P. Foster,	2	00	
Miss Mabel Foster,		00	
Two friends of the Second Church, Dorchester,	2	50	
Mrs. Amos W. Stetson,	5	00	
Mr. John L. Barry,		00	
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey,	10	00	
Messrs. T. R. Marvin & Son,		25	
Mrs. Geo. F. Gay,		00	
Mrs. Ira M. Conant	_		
massachusetts charitable i ne society			148 75
To Legacies:			
Estate of Gardner Edmands, from Mr. G. W.			
Basford, executor, as one of five residuary			
legatees,	451	92	
Estate of Mrs. Ellen A. Cooke, a compromise			
settlement, from Messrs. Peter and Stephen			
Thacher for a specific bequest of \$500, and as one of five residuary legatees,	T 424	0.1	
one of five residuary legatees,	1,434	94	
Carried forward,	1,886	86	5,211 10

Amounts brought forward, \$1,886 Estate of Mrs. Helen C. Knowles, of Worcester,	86 \$5,211 10
from Mr. Edward A. Strong, 500 Estate of William T. Eustis from Rev. Wm. T. Eustis, in voluntary settlement of a bequest	00
for \$500, in the will of his father, 1,000	oo — 3,386 86
LIFE MEMBERS:	3,3
Mrs. Jonathan Parker, 25	00
F. B. Johnstone to constitute Wilhelmina and	
Carmelita Shreve Life Members, 50	00
Mrs. C. M. Winch,	
	00
Mrs. Wm. Wales, to constitute Mrs. William Q.	
	00
	00
Miss S. G. Brooks,	00
200	
Less returned to Mrs. M. C. S. Quincy, a life	00
membership unintentionally made in 1886 . 25	00
membership unintentionally made in 1000 . 25	175 00
INCOMES:	1/3 00
From Invested Funds, 1,968	00
Geo. O. Hovey's Fund for Thanksgiving	
Dinners,	00 2,003 00
	\$10,775 96
CR.	
D. D	
By Payments:	
For balance due to the Treasurer from former account,	
Home for Boys, balance of that account	. 1,150 63
Printing,	. 155 25
Fuel,	. 410 11
Repairs,	. 639 84
Care of lot at Mount Hope,	3 00
Thanksgiving Dinner, provided by George O. Ho	
Fund,	. 35 00
School supplies, provided by receipts from the Child table at the May Day Festival,	
C	. 33 00
Current expenses,	. 7,000 12
Carried forward,	\$9,498 29

Amounts brought forward, By balance to new acccount,*				\$9,498 29 1,277 6 7
				\$10,775 96

S. T. SNOW, Treasurer.

BOSTON, Oct. 29, 1887.

We have examined the foregoing account, and find it correct, with proper vouchers, showing a balance in the hands of the Treasurer of twelve hundred and seventy-seven $\frac{67}{100}$ dollars, (\$1,277.67).

Signed,

EZRA FARNSWORTH, SAM'L N. BROWN,

Auditors.

^{*} It will be observed that the Society has been compelled to use \$2,109.19 of the \$3,386.86 received for legacies the past year. This the Managers very much regret, as their desire and purpose is to fund all the sums so obtained; and they earnestly hope that the friends of this excellent and deserving charity will come to its rescue the present year, enabling the Managers, possibly, to restore the sum expended as above.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following an on such conditions that the income only can be made use of:—	nounts given
From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year 1853	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the Fennelly Fund," received March 6th, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4th, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4th, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received ——, March 13th, 1867, and Dec. 1st, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said Institution for investment and income in support	
thereof," received Feb. 10th, 1872	1,000 00
and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16th, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9th, 1877	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving Dinners," received Nov. 21st, 1878	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8th, 1879	500 00
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FORM OF A BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A. B.), do give and bequeath to the treasurer for the time being of the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society. And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at II A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty — or, in her absence, of a Vice-President — to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts, approved by the President, or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A Committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting, to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the Officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each Annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof, by the unanimous vote of said Board.

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REPORT.

At the end of another twelve months, all interested friends may look with satisfaction at the Rutland Street and Dedham Homes, whose able matrons have carried the two establishments smoothly and successfully through the year.

The most distinct idea of the Society's work may be had by considering separately the work of each Home. Looking at the original, or Rutland Street Home, where all the girls live, and the boys received under five years of age, remain until old enough to enter the Home at Dedham, we find the following report for the year just ended:—

Whole number in the Home at present,			64
53 Girls. 11 Boys.			
Admissions during the year,			31
24 Girls. 7 Boys.			
Dismissions during the year,			41
34 Girls. 7 Boys.			

Six girls have been readmitted during the year, five surrendered to the Society, and one has been adopted.

Of the thirty-four girls dismissed, two were of age, and suitable occupations were found for them when the Society's care ceased. Of the other children dismissed, thirty-three went to parents, while six were placed in temporary homes, the Society being still responsible for them.

During the late winter and early spring, scarlet fever appeared in this Home, causing, in the beginning, much un-

easiness; the first two cases were removed to the City Hospital and everything was done to prevent additional illness. but, as all the children in the house had been exposed to the disease, it was impossible to prevent its spread, and one after another yielded, until ten children were ill; - very few cases. when we remember that there were more than sixty children in the Home at the time. This small number is due to the fact that whenever a new case appeared, the sufferer was immediately removed to the hospital department of the house, and there cared for by a competent nurse who carefully followed Dr. Holvoke's directions; while no communication between that room and the children in the main house was allowed. Thanks to good care, the cases were light, and none of the unpleasant after-effects of scarlet fever have appeared. As in many previous years, Dr. Holyoke's services were freely given, and the Managers are very grateful for his kind and thoroughly successful service, at this time, as well as for his care of the children during the whole year.

As they were recovering, and while still separated from their companions in the main building, the children naturally craved amusement, and anything, especially new and rare, was a great boon. It so happened that two little sisters from a neighboring town had visited the Home at the Christmas celebration more than a year before, and one of them, who had saved her money to buy a large doll which she had dressed in long clothes, presented it at that time to the children, for whom she had bought it. Such a rare doll must be kept carefully for special occasions; the matron put it away, until the best time should come for the children to play with it, and it was ready for the amusement of the convalescents, and sharing the honors with a Mikado doll, also a Christmas gift; after the last case of fever, it passed through a season of fumigation.

As the time approached to make final plans for the May Festival, the Managers became quite hopeful that nothing would prevent their holding it, as usual, at the Rutland Street Home; but, just as they were almost sure that it would be

safe to open the house to the public, the last case of fever appeared, and decided the question. The vestry of Shawmut Church was immediately secured, and as the children from this Home could not be present for their usual exercises, several of the Longwood Minstrels, the Tremont Club, and the boys from Dedham, assisted by some friends from that town, gave their services in the afternoon and evening. The day proved very successful in spite of threatening weather; and the proceeds of the sale, to which were added those of two previous entertainments, proved a generous addition to the treasury. Of these entertainments, one was given in Berkeley Hall, under the direction of ladies at the Clarendon Hotel; at this, the artists gave their services, and the boys from the Dedham Home also took part; while Miss Post kindly gave the use of the hall. The second was a pretty parlor entertainment given by the Shawmut Social Union, a society of the young ladies and gentlemen of Shawmut Church.

During the summer, numerous horse-car tickets were received for the children's use; all the older children, a few at a time, spent a day either at Nantasket or Downer's Landing; several children made short visits in the country, those having brothers there making visits at the Dedham Home; and one little girl, through the kindness of Mr. E. G. Loomis, was allowed to spend six weeks in the country; in that time she proved so satisfactory that the people with whom she was staying decided to keep her with them through the winter. The babies were comfortably domiciled from the last of July to the early part of October at the Dedham Home.

Through the year, Dr. Fenderson has done all the needed dentistry, charging only for materials used, and Dr. Jack has freely cared for those needing his services. The Managers gratefully acknowledge the kindness of these gentlemen.

One afternoon in every week, Deacon Wilkins has held a service of prayer and Bible study with the children, as he has done for many years.

A children's club in Dorchester called the Pansy Club has given five dollars, made from a sale of holders, for the Home

kindergarten; the Primary department of the Sabbath School of Immanuel Church, Roxbury, has also contributed the same amount for the same object, and the social interests of the Home have not been overlooked, for a little friend on his fifth birthday a short time ago, contributed fifty cents to give the babies a party.

At Dedham the boys have passed a pleasant year, in excellent health.

The following are the year's statistics: -

Present number in the Home,			31
Admissions during the year, .			12
Dismissions during the year, .			ΙΙ
Readmitted during the year, .			I
Surrendered to the Society, .			3

Of those dismissed, ten returned to parents, while one went to a temporary home.

Improvements, designed to make the general work easier, have been made in the house, and the stable has been altered, having now, on its first floor, a store-room for fruit and vegetables, while on the second floor there is now a room used as a play-room, except in the summer vacation, when it may be used for the school; a second room on this floor contains benches and tools for the much desired industrial training; here the boys have already done some work, while at intervals during the summer, they have had recitations in the new school-room, the town loaning desks. During the school year they have regularly attended the public school.

Drs. Babcock and Chase, of Dedham, have been ready, as in other years, to care for the boys in case of illness; and the Managers thankfully acknowledge their kindness.

On Thanksgiving day, those boys having sisters in the City Home, dined with them. The Christmas celebration at the Dedham Home, as at the Rutland Street, was made as homelike as possible. The boys were also included in the Christmas exercises of the Congregational and Episcopal

Churches of the town, and a few days after Christmas they gave the Sleigh-ride Symphony, and a recitation in which Mrs. L. A. W. Fowler had trained them, as their contribution to a church entertainment at East Dedham.

The third annual concert of the Longwood Minstrels was given in Music Hall two successive evenings in January, to audiences who thoroughly enjoyed the entertaining and finely performed programme, and appreciated the kindness shown by these gentlemen in devoting much time, thought and money to help the boys at Dedham. As in the two previous years, a generous sum was the result of these concerts.

In May, twenty boys visited the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea and gave the veterans a concert, concluding with a series of war songs given to the accompaniment of piano, cornet, drum and triangle. Asked to join with the boys in these songs, the soldiers said it was a greater pleasure to them to listen to their young friends. After their concert the boys were taken over the building, going finally to the dining-room, where they found a lunch awaiting them.

A year ago last June, a lawn party was planned at the annual festivity for this Home, but scarlet fever in the house prevented its fulfilment. This year the plan was carried out, and at the same time there was a sale of fancy articles in the house, under the auspices of the Quincy Club.* The whole entertainment, considering the newness of the undertaking, realized a very satisfactory sum.

This summer, Mr. H. B. Endicott of Dedham added to his kindness of last year by giving all the boys a day at Nantasket; the Rev. D. W. Waldron gave tickets also for Nantasket; and Mr. E. G. Loomis sent one boy to New Hampshire for several weeks.

^{*} The Quincy Club of Dedham consists of the following young ladies: Helen B. Crocker, *President*, Louise T. Marsh, *Treasurer*, Alice W. Chase, *Secretary*, Christine Mansfield, Lillian Fisher, Mary Danforth, Lizzie Fisher, Nellie Chase, Sophy C. McClearn, Amelia M. Ely, Seaby Hill, Annie Rolland, Annie J. Hewins, Frances Baker, Ella Taft, Amy Clifton, Mabel J. Cassell, Helen Kingsbury.

Its own orchard and garden have supplied the Home with fruit and vegetables through the summer, and the Rutland Street Home has received contributions from the same.

In August, this Home was visited by the New England Women's Press Association, whose members were greatly interested in the boys and their surroundings, as well as in their performance of the Sleigh-ride Symphony.

In September, Mr. C. M. Benedict, assistant-superintendent of the Home, sent in his resignation, which was accepted.

Both homes received papers and cards at Easter time from the Rev. D. W. Waldron.

As the Society enters upon a new year, its managers acknowledge with hearty thanks the kind assistance of friends during the past year, and, desiring that those interested in this work may become its real friends, they cordially invite all who can to visit the two homes and to see for themselves what is done for those children, in our City, who could otherwise receive little care or guidance. They ask those friends, who realize what the Society has already done, and in the coming year can do, with additional help, to consider the Plan presented herewith * by a committee of Advisers and Managers, and to help the officers in that way if they will, or in any other way, to make these Homes more and more useful.

In behalf of the Managers.

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

^{*}See page 13.

PLAN.

THE Committee who have had charge of the raising of funds for repairs, improvements, and enlargement of the work at Dedham, to meet the urgent demands made upon the Boston Children's Friend Society for a larger support, propose the following plan to its many friends, the same having already met with a favorable response from the few to whom it has been presented:—

"We, the undersigned, each agree to pay to the Boston Children's Friend Society One Hundred Dollars, annually, payable January 1st, each year, for the support of one child in the Boys' Home at Dedham, or at 48 Rutland Street. Any one wishing to discontinue the obligation may do so by giving notice to the Treasurer, on making annual payment."

We believe there are many people who would be interested in supporting one child by the payment of such a moderate fixed sum, and we think that many churches and Sunday-Schools might adopt one or more children, in this way, instead of making their accustomed contributions. Any one paying Two Thousand Dollars to the Society would insure the perpetual support of one child.

Subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer, or by any member of the following Committee.

JONATHAN A. LANE, 266 Devonshire Street.

Rev. F. B. Allen,
152 Marlboro Street.

GEORGE HENRY QUINCY, 214 Commonwealth Ave.

Mrs. Albree,
122 West Concord St.

Mrs. POTTER,
625 Tremont St.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

HOME FOR BOYS AT DEDHAM.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

Dr.		
1888.—Oct. 31.		
To Receipts:		
For Board of Children,	. \$811	83
DONATIONS:		
Miss Eliza Smith,)	
Miss Annie E. Cornelius, 5 oc		
Miss Manning, completing the sum of \$150.00,		
to furnish the Manning Room, 75 oc		
Mr. R. W. Morville,		
Canada Constant	- 181	50
SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS:		
The Sturtevant and Converse Building Fund,		
(see particulars on page 17), 13,778 29	;	
Part Proceeds of a Fair and Lawn Party at the		
Dedham Home,* 200 oc)	
Proceeds of the annual subscription for support		
of the Home for Boys, made by members of		
the Longwood Minstrels and their friends, at a	•	
dinner given to them at the Parker House, Jan-		
uary 16, 1888, by a friend of the Home, . 390 or		
	- 14,368	25
Rent of Grapery,		
Sale of Grass,	. 25	00
	\$15,436	58

^{*} A further sum from this source is accounted for in Mr. Quincy's communication on page 16,

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By Payments:	
For Fuel, Repairs and Insurance,	\$3,547 30
Current Expenses,	3,831 33
Balance, contributed and held specifically for the Home	
for Boys, carried to new account,	8,057 95
	\$15,436 58

Referring now to a report of the special Committee appointed in 1886, to obtain funds for the establishment of a Home for Boys, made under date of the 28th of October, 1887, and printed on page 15 of the last Annual Report of the Society:

The Longwood Minstrels have since increased the sum named therein in the following manner:

Proceeds	of the	conce	t in	1887	, as	stated	in	the	forego	ing		
Repo	ort,										\$2,000	00
						000						
Proceeds	of two	concer	ts in	Janu	ary,	1888,	•	•	•	٠	2,250	00
CONTRIB	vmrst. T	17										
CONTRIB	JIED B	Y										
Mr. Ch	arles W	Veil,							\$50	00		
Mrs. G	eorge]	Henry	Quin	су,		,			100	00		
Mr. Le	ander I	Beal,							50	00		
Mr. He	enry L.	Pierce	,						200	00		
Mr. Joi	na. A.	Lane,							250	00		
Mr. Ch	arles F	. Quin	cy,						25	00		
											675	00
Balance of	of earne	ed inter	est t	о Ма	y I,	1888,					75	00
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											\$5,000	00

And this sum was invested under their direction and donated as stated in an addition to the Permanent Fund on page 21.

The foregoing donation is in addition to the balance of \$8,057.95 shown by the Treasurer's cash account with the Home for Boys.

And there are other sums in store for the Society, as appears by the following communication:

Boston, October 20, 1888.

SAM'L T. SNOW, Esq., Treas. of the Boston Children's Friend Society.

Dear Sir: — I desire by this communication to apprise you that there are two small funds existing for the benefit of your Society, which although not in your possession, are safely held, and in due time, when they have attained a larger growth, will be transferred to you as its Treasurer.

The first is a balance of \$187.13, on interest, which may be regarded as the nucleus of another Longwood Minstrels fund.

The second is the Quincy Club fund, which by foot-note is mentioned in your last report. This is a club of young Misses in Dedham, whose efforts to aid the Society are, with the co-operation of friends, as will be seen by the following statement, showing quite a substantial result:

Balance, Nov. 1, 1887,	\$200	00
Donation from "A Friend,"	30	00
Rev. S. S. Burleson, through F. O. Popenoe, Esq., from		
sale of Dr. S. F. Smith's monograph hymn, "My Coun-		
try 'tis of thee,"	30	00
Thomas Mack, Esq., Boston, from same,	10	00
Horace J. Morse, Esq., New York, from same,	IO	00
Sales at Quincy Club table at Lawn Party in June,	100	00
Of this last item, about \$30.00 was also from the sales of		
the monograph as above. Dr. S. F. Smith has been a warm		
friend to the Boys' Home from the start; and to help its funds		
has written with his own hand and signed a number of copies		
of that immortal hymn of which he is the author. A few		
copies remain, which may be had of Miss Nellie Crocker,		
Dedham, President of the Club. Price, with photo of the		
author, \$5.00. As time advances, these copies will become		
very valuable; and the opportunity to secure this interesting		
literary treasure should not be lost; and the amount thus re-		
ceived will help the good work of the Society.		
To the receipts above named, there is to be added, for interest,		
the sum of,	20	00
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Making the whole fund on interest, November 1, 1888,

Very respectfully yours,

GEORGE HENRY QUINCY.

\$400 00

CONTRIBUTORS TO

THE STURTEVANT AND CONVERSE BUILDING FUND.

B. F. Sturtevant, \$3,750.00, E. S. Converse, \$3,750.00,	\$7,500 00
G. H. Quincy,	1,000 00
Henry Millis, W. O. Grover, \$500.00 each,	1,000 00
J. A. Lane, J. W. Converse, Ezra Farnsworth, \$250.00 each,	750 00
Mrs. H. R. Glover, Henry L. Pierce, Alex. Stowell, C. W.	
Kingsley, Mrs. J. F. Andrew, \$200.00 each,	1,000 00
Mrs. Esther P. Ahl,	128 25
Mrs. Walter Baker, S. E. Walcott, W. W. Clapp, M. C. S.	
Quincy, Mrs. P. S. Child Olmstead, Mrs. R. K. Potter,	
R. W. Morville, A. M. Kidder, J. P. Mandell, Fred.	
L. Ames, Mrs. Josephine S. Hall, J. C. Haynes, C. L.	
Weld, Mrs. Wm. Appleton, E. B. Badger, H. H. Hunne-	
well, J. L. Bremer, J. W. Wheelwright, R. C. Billings,	
A. P. Potter, N. W. Rice, H. S. Chase, J. H. Wright,	
Joseph C. Stevens, B. E. Cole, Wm. Endicott, Samuel	
Johnson, W. S. Houghton, \$100.00 each,	2,800 00
Mrs. C. M. Winch, M. B. Mason, Mrs. M. L. Colby, Henry	
D. Hyde, W. B. Adams, Charles Weil, Geo. S. Wins-	
low, G. T. Fabyan, Wm. T. Hart, Chas. Carruth, Brown,	
Durrell & Co., J. H. Alford, The Misses Mason, Thos.	
Mack, C. L. Flint, Joel Goldthwait, Jos. H. Gray, Geo.	
S. Harwood, Leander Beal, \$50.00 each,	950 00
Mrs. H. B. Goodwin, Mrs. Mary E. Meredith, * G. G. Quincy,	
C. F. Quincy, Mrs. S. D. Lane, Chas. L. Colby (Mil-	
waukee), Mrs. J. W. McKenley, Albert Gay, Mrs. L. R.	
Reed, Mrs. S. E. Reed, Potter, Lovell & Co., I. O.	
Whiting, J. N. Fisk, E. A. Morse, J. A. Bacon, F. F.	
Emery, A. J. Adams, J. N. Denison, \$25.00 each,	450 00
Mrs. F. A. Foster, Mrs. F. H. Krebs, Miss H. Capen, Abby	
C. Pierce, Ned, Kitty and Mrs. Hewins, \$10.00 each, .	50 0 0
Of this amount there has been collected, and added	15,628 25
to the Longwood Minstrel Fund, as stated in	
detail on page 15, 675 00	
And credited on account of Home for Boys at Ded-	
ham, on page 14, 13,778 25	
	14,453 25
Leaving the sum of	\$1,175 00
not yet due and in course of collection.	7.,./5

^{*} Constituting herself a Life Member.

GENERAL ACCOUNT,

OMITTING SO MUCH AS APPEARS IN THE ACCOUNT WITH THE HOME FOR BOYS, EXCEPTING THE BALANCE PRODUCED.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

The free country in account with the	5001011					
	Dr.					
1888.—Oct. 31.						
To Receipts:						
For Balance from former accou	nt, as corr	ected,			\$1,293	37
Board of Children,					1,728	12
Annual Subscriptions, .					860	00
CONTRIBUTIONS:						
Old South Church, annual,						
Shawmut Congregational Socie	•		173	00		
Net Proceeds of the May-Day						
ing \$240.50 from a Concert						
under direction of the Claren		,				
and \$88.00, gross proceeds						
ment† by the Shawmut Soc	cial Union,	at 672				
Tremont St.,			1,670	32	1,986	60
_					1,900	02
Donations:						
Mr. A. D. Brown,			2	00		
Mr. John H. Barry,			10	00		
Mr. H. D. Yerxa,			10	00		
Mr. John C. Lane,			10	00		
Mrs. Ira M. Conant, .			2	00		
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey, .			IO	00		
Mrs. Esther P. Ahl,			50	00		
Freewill Baptist Church, Shaw			5	50		
Benevolent Helpers' Society of	Harvard (Church,				
Brookline,			10	00		
Massachusetts Charitable Fire	Society,		100	00		
			-		209	50
Amount carried forward,					\$6,077	61

^{*} See page 33.

[†] The refreshments for performers on this occasion were furnished by Mr. Harvey Blunt, without charge.

Amount brought forward,	\$6,077 61
LEGACY:	
Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes,"	5,000 00
Life Members:	
Miss Florence B. Johnston, 25 00 Mrs. Frank R. Thomas,	50 00
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS:	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Taxes on Bank Stock for 1885, 1886, 1887 refunded, .	59 86
Investments:	
Collected for reinvestment,	5,000 00
INCOMES:	
From Invested Funds, including an item of \$300 received from the Executors of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy's Estate, when paying the legacy therefrom, as for one year's interest, 2,149 33 Geo. O. Hovey's Fund for Thanksgiving Dinners, 35 00	
Home for Boys:	2,184 33
Balance contributed and held specifically for that work, .	8,057 95
	\$26,429 75
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By Payments:	
For Printing,	\$136 oo 495 95
Repairs,	245 54
Care of lot at Mount Hope,	3 00
Fund,	35 00
Amount carried forward,	\$915 49

Amount brought forward,	\$915 49
NVESTMENTS:	
Five Atchison, Colorado & Pacific R. R. Co.	
Bonds, \$1,000.00 each, 5,000 00	
Thirty-nine Shares Freeman's National Bank, . 3,714 75	-
An endorsed and approved Note, 10,000 00	•
	18,714 75
Current Expenses,	6,374 10
	26,004 34
Balance carried to new account,	425 41
	\$26,429 75

Boston, October 31, 1888.

Boston, October 31, 1888.

S. T. SNOW, Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing account, and find it correct, with proper vouchers, showing a balance as stated of four hundred and twenty-five $\frac{41}{100}$ dollars (\$425.41), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

EZRA FARNSWORTH, SAMUEL N. BROWN,

Auditors

FORM OF A BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A. B.), do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society, [or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society.] And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be made use of:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year	
1853	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the	
Fennelly Fund," received March 6th, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received August 4th, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received	
——, March 13th, 1867, and Dec. 1st, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital	
fund of said Institution for investment and income in support	
thereof," received Feb. 10th, 1872	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest,	
and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society	
forever," received May 16th, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	
permanent funds," received April 9th, 1877	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanks-	
giving Dinners," received Nov. 21st, 1878	500 0 0
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8th, 1879	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25th,	
1884	5,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24th,	
1887	5,000 00
approved and regularly recorded Mortgage; "to be known as	
the Longwood Minstrel Fund and to be added to the Perma-	
nent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be	
used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,	5,000 00
about the support of the bostery, received fulle, 1000;.	3,000 00
	\$22,770 00

\$33,770 00

ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS FOR 1888.

SHAWMUT CHURCH.

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Mrs. F. B. Ingraham		2 00	Mrs. E. E. Poole .			2 00
Mrs. G. W. Merritt		2 00	Mrs. J. A. Glidden			2 00
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Miss E. J. Wilkins		1 00	-			

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Mrs. E. A. Studley			2 00				
Mrs. W. K. Porter			2 00			;	\$140 00
Mrs W. I. McPherson		,	2 00				

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Mrs. Alpheus Hardy		2 00	Master Hamilton Hill .	00 1
Miss Elmira Hill .		2 00		
Miss Louisa Hill .		2 00		\$74 00
Mrs. E. C. Johnson		2 00		

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Mrs. W. W. Whitcomb			2 00	Mrs. Thomas P. Smith		2	00
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Miss Edith L. Beal			2 00	Mr. C. F. Quincy .		5 00
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Mrs. William B. Spoor	ner		2 00	Mr. G. G. Quincy .		5 00
Mrs. S. P. Hibbard			2 00	Mrs. G. G. Quincy.		2 00
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Mrs. J. C. Stevens.	٠	•	2 00	J. E. Daniels		2 00
Mrs. Francis Jones	٠		2 00			
Mrs. G. S. Dexter .			5 00			\$76 00
Mrs. S. E. Crockett			2 00			

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MRS. F. B. ROGERS, Collector.

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Mrs. F. B. Rogers .		2 00	Mrs. E. W. White		2	00
Mrs. C. E. Wiggin		2 00	O. M. Wentworth .		2	00
Mrs. F. W. Freeborn		2 00				
Mrs. A. W. Sawyer		2 00			\$20	00
Mrs. F. B. Rogers . Mrs. C. E. Wiggin Mrs. F. W. Freeborn		2 00 2 00 2 00	Mrs. E. W. White		2	00

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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the "Boston Children's Friend Society."

ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at II A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty — or, in her absence, of a Vice-President — to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts, approved by the President, or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected and pay the same to the Treasurer.
- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A Committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting, to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the Officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each Annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof, by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an Annual Meeting.

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MRS.	R. K. POTTER .							625	Tremont Street.		
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HOME FOR BOYS,

LOCATED AT DEDHAM.

MATRON, MRS. M. B. BENEDICT.

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REPORT.

Almost fifty-six years ago, in December, 1833, this Society was organized. Mrs. Burns, a lady greatly interested, began the work by caring for two neglected children at her home, in the early fall of that year, and when the Society was fully organized she continued as before, until, with three little girls, she began the more formal work in a house on Sheafe Street, which was loaned the Society for three months. Thus the work commenced: it has increased as its means permitted substantial growth, its supporters desiring to have it established on so sure a foundation, that its steady growth might be assured.

At the close of this fifty-sixth year, the two Homes, containing one hundred and one children, are in a flourishing condition, as they have been through the entire year.

At the Rutla	and St. 1	Home,	the	whole	num	ber a	t pres	ent is	;	72
62 Girls.	10 Boy	s.								
Admitted du	uring the	year,								30
19 Girls.	II Boy	s.								
Re-admitted	l, .									4
3 Girls.	I Boy.									
Dismissed,										24
16 Girls.										
At the Boys	' Home:	at Ded	lham,	the v	vhole	numb	er at	prese	nt is	29
Admitted du	iring the	year,								7
Dismissed,										9

The boys in this Home attend the public school, six of them having reached the master's room this year, to the great delight of their friends.

Two boys and the same number of girls have been surrendered to the Society, since the last annual meeting.

The chief occasions of interest for the Rutland Street Home have been the Christmas Celebration; the May Day Festival, held again, this year, in the Home; the vacation at Goodwill Farm, and the day spent at Nantasket, through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Asa P. Potter. The day of the Christmas Celebration, although rainy and dismal, out of doors, was a happy time in the school-room where the children with their parents and friends enjoyed the tree and its gifts; two children had sent a gift and a bag of candy for every child; there were many other gifts, and the children collectively, rejoiced in a large doll's house, given by a young lady who had treasured it from her childhood, finally giving it to the children in perfect order and completely equipped, even to a little figure of Santa Claus on the roof.

The day at Nantasket in July, is one of very happy memory. The children, with the matron and some of the Managers, on reaching the wharf at Nantasket, found a barge in waiting to take the children and others so inclined to the beach, while the rest of the party drove to Mr. Potter's house, at once. At the shore, the children, provided with shovels and pails, had a thoroughly good time in the sand, after which they drove to the house where they equally enjoyed a bountiful dinner, and spent the rest of the afternoon in looking about the place. Everything was arranged for the comfort and enjoyment of the guests in going to and returning from, as well as while at Nantasket, and the children and Society look upon this as one of their Red Letter Days.

The May Day Festival would have been a happy occasion, but for the serious illness at that time of Mrs. E. E. Poole, one of its most earnest and efficient supporters.

The vacation at East Fairfield, Maine, was brought about through the Boys' Home, and was participated in by the two

Homes. A Baptist clergyman, Rev. G. W. Hinckley, whose home is in Maine, visited the boys at Dedham last spring. He was planning to start a Home for Boys at the time. After buying a farm of one hundred and twenty-five acres, for this purpose, which he named "Goodwill Farm," he sent a most cordial invitation to the Managers to send some children there for the summer, desiring to keep the boys sent as a nucleus for his new Home. The generous invitation was accepted for twelve girls and three boys, two young women who had been reared in the Home, going with them to take care of the children, while the matron of the city Home went with the party to see it comfortably started in its new quarters. Passes each way were provided on the roads by Mr. G. C. Lord of the Boston & Maine railroad, and Payson Tucker, Esq., of Portland, and the trains going and returning were stopped in front of the cottage for the greater convenience of the travellers. The children found there a beautiful tent sent them by Mr. G. H. Quincy of Boston. As the house and furniture were provided by Mr. Hinckley, while the entire supplies were bountifully provided by the people of Fairfield and vicinity, through the efforts of Rev. N. D. Curtis and family, the expense to the Society, of this outing of six weeks, was very trifling. Several of the smaller girls were taken into private homes in Fairfield, while the little colony was at Goodwill cottage; of these children, one was seriously ill at the house of the Rev. N. D. Curtis: she received every attention from these new friends, as well as from the doctor who visited her, the latter sending in a receipted bill when his little patient no longer needed his services. With this one exception, the children were greatly benefited in health, by the change of air and scene.

Mr. Endicott of Dedham, gave the boys of the Home a day's pleasure at Nantasket this summer, as he has done the past two years. All the older children at the city Home who neither went to East Fairfield, nor to visit friends in the country, had another day at Nantasket, through the agency of the Rev. D. W. Waldron, who likewise has provided sev-

eral carriage drives, and horse-car rides for the children during the summer, and has distributed cards in each Home at Christmas as well as at Easter time.

The babies were at the Dedham Home from the early part of July to the middle of September, when they returned to the Rutland Street Home.

Deacon Wilkins has met the children at the city Home once a week, as usual, for the study of the Bible; while the Rev. J. B. Seabury of Dedham, pastor of the Congregational Church, has met the boys once a fortnight for the same purpose.

Miss Lovejoy, a lady interested in the latter Home, spent two summer months there, teaching the boys in the summer school and helping them in their industrial work. A lady of Dedham has given one of the boys lessons on the violin the past year.

The Longwood Minstrels have again given a concert for the benefit of the Boys' Home, the proceeds to be used as a nucleus for a special fund, or for building. At this concert two boys from the Home sang.

In June, the Quincy Club, of Dedham, held a sale at the Home for its benefit, followed by an entertainment in the evening.

While some friends arrange for pleasant summer excursions, and others to extend a knowledge of the two Homes, still others interest themselves in the children's reading. The Rutland Street Home receives from Dr. Holyoke the "Wide Awake," "Little Men and Women," and "Babyland." Mrs. Krebs provides "St. Nicholas"; and a friend sends "The Youth's Companion." The Boy's Home receives "The Watchman" from Dr. Olmstead; the "Youth's Companion" from Mr. D. S. Ford; "The Watchword" from Rev. A. J. Gordon; and "The Beacon" from its publisher.

As in other years, Drs. Holyoke, Walker, Jack and Fenderson, in town, and Drs. Babcock and Chase, of Dedham, have been ready to respond to all calls for their services.

During the year, several one hundred dollar subscriptions* have been received; this system of giving brings the contributors into closer sympathy with the life of the Homes than the ordinary general subscription, as every family or individual so giving, pledges the sum for the care, for one year, of one child selected as its beneficiary, and is thus especially interested in the life and progress of its child.

The most interested workers of the Society have been greatly encouraged to continue in well-doing, by the last days of one who had been trained in the Rutland Street Home. She passed more than ten years of her young life in the Home, then left it for a short time, after which she returned and was employed in the Home until she went out to service at the age of twenty-two. While a child, she had been taken from the Home several times by people who might have adopted her, but her troublesome temper discouraged these friends and she was as many times returned to the Society's care. She did not seem particularly interested in the Home life nor in its teachings, yet the friends, who labored for her, were to find their efforts rewarded in a most stimulating way. After working for a few years this young woman was obliged to stop because of increasing ill-health; hearing, last fall, of her illness, the matron and some of the Managers visited her; they found that her great desire was to die in the only home she had ever known, and the Managers carefully considered the subject; at first, they thought it unwise to take one incurably ill into the Home, but there was no other place where they could care for her so well, and, as the children were well and the hospital consequently vacant, they finally decided to gratify this wish. She returned to her old home with great delight, early in January, very feeble but continually grateful. It was thought when she came that she could live only a few weeks, but she lingered until the last of June, suffering greatly much of the time. The troublesome temper seemed to have disappeared and only the genial side

^{*} See page 14.

of her nature remained. She gave many evidences of being a simple, earnest Christian. Continually thanking the matron and Managers for what they had done and were doing for her, she also loved to remind the children of the Home of their advantages. She was heard repeating Psalm after Psalm which, when questioned, she said she had learned in the Home; the answer surprised those who had known her in other years, when she seemed heedless of such teachings, but she said "I had to learn them, and glad enough I am now."

Much to the regret of her fellow-workers, Mrs. E. H. Sprague, who has been a Manager for many years, has sent in her resignation. Her quiet, efficient and loving service has been highly valued by her associates, and her influence will long be felt.

There have been several changes in the working force of the Rutland Street Home. Miss Hooper, its teacher, after a faithful service of two years, resigned in the summer on account of ill-health, and Miss Fitch, its seamstress, resigned about the same time, to go to Burmah, as a missionary of the Baptist Missionary Society of Nova Scotia, feeling that there were few to take up that distant work, but more, ready to do the work at home.

While the children have received much, they have also been taught to do something for others. Some of them have taken part in several entertainments, among others in the exercises of the Norfolk County Temperance Union, at Norwood, while they gave a programme of action songs and toy symphonies at the rooms of the Woman's Educational and Industrial Union. In the summer, boys from the Home at Dedham went regularly to the City Hospital for two months to sing. In March, Mrs. Fowler took all the boys and fifteen little girls to the Soldier's Home in Chelsea, to sing to the veterans, who proved a most interested and appreciative audience. After performing their little programme, the children were taken over this large Home, going finally to the dining-room where a collation awaited them. H. D.

Hyde, Esq., and Mr. E. F. Oliver provided fares for the horse-car rides, and the Old Colony R. R. again gave the children free trips to and from the city. On this occasion, Mr. Millis provided a generous lunch for the boys at one of the Oak Grove Restaurants, as they were obliged to come in town early in the day. Each boy carried home with him a suit of new clothes and a cap, the gift of Mr. George Talbot, President of the Standard Clothing Company, as well as the consciousness that virtue is its own, but not always its only reward.

The donations for the year have been generous and very acceptable; one great need, a carpet for the reception room at Rutland Street, has been supplied through the kindness of Mr. G. W. Chipman. A donation, always welcome and always needed, has diminished during the last few years, namely, new or partly worn clothing; friends of the Home in remembering its needs are asked to remember this one particularly, during the coming year.

In closing, the Managers desire to thank all who have in word or deed helped them in the work of the past year. Looking forward to the coming months, with confidence that the same helpful interest and material support will be given by those friends who know what the Society has acomplished and can do, they ask these old friends, to introduce this work, far-reaching in its results, to as many new friends as possible.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

PLAN.

The Committee who have had charge of the raising of funds for repairs, improvements, and enlargement of the work at Dedham, to meet the urgent demands made upon the Boston Children's Friend Society for a larger support, propose the following plan to its many friends, the same having already met with a favorable response from the few to whom it has been presented:—

"We, the undersigned, each agree to pay to the Boston Children's Friend Society One Hundred Dollars, annually, payable January 1st, each year, for the support of one child in the Boys' Home at Dedham, or at 48 Rutland Street. Any one wishing to discontinue the obligation may do so by giving notice to the Treasurer, on making annual payment."

We believe there are many people who would be interested in supporting one child by the payment of such a moderate fixed sum, and we think that many churches and Sunday-Schools might adopt one or more children, in this way, instead of making their accustomed contributions. Any one paying Two Thousand Dollars to the Society would insure the perpetual support of one child.

Subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer, or by any member of the following Committee.

JONATHAN A. LANE, 266 Devonshire Street.

Rev. F. B. ALLEN,
132 Marlboro Street.

GEORGE HENRY QUINCY,
131 Devonshire Street.

Mrs. Albree,

Mrs. Potter, 625 Tremont St.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

HOME FOR BOYS AT DEDHAM.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

DR.

	1889.—Nov. 1.		
1	To Receipts:		
	Board of Children,		\$734 23
S	Special Contributions:		
	The Sturtevant and Converse Building Fund:		
	Balance due on the subscription thereto and		
	in course of collection, as per last Annual		
	Report, page 17,	\$1,175 00	
	Proceeds of the annual subscription by mem-		
	bers of the Longwood Minstrels and their		
	friends of January 16, 1888,	200 00	
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L	ONATIONS:		
	Mrs. Mortimer B. Mason,	100 00	
	Messrs. T. E. Bowman & Co	100 00	
	Mrs. L. R. Read,	25 00	
	Mrs. S. E. Read,	25 00	
	For support of the Breslyn boys,	100 00	
	Col. Fletcher Webster Camp, No. 47, Sons of		
	Veterans, towards a pledge of support of		
	Breslyn boys,	60 82	
	Amounts carried forward,	\$410 82	\$2,109 23
	Amounts curried for ward,	\$410 0Z	42,109 23

Amounts brought forward,		\$410 82	\$2,109 23
SPECIAL, OBTAINED BY MR. QUINCY:			
Mr. John Goldthwait,	100 00		
Miss Florence A. Boyd,	10 00)	
Miss Lila Boyd,	10 00		
Miss Emily L. Flanders,	25 00		
Dr. S. F. Smith, sale of poem			
"America,"	5 00		
Mrs. C. B. Wilson,	10 00		
Mr. F. A. Foster,	2 25		
Mr. Rufus Frost Greeley for fitting	5		
up gymnasium	30 00		
	\$292 25		
Less retained by Mr. Quincy	#292 23		
for Bill of sundries, . \$138 55			
For Bill gymnasium, . 29 80			
	\$168 35		
		123 90	534 72
SALES:			
Of the Grapery,		100 00	
		74 40	
			174 40
GENERAL ACCOUNT:			
Amount to balance,			2,183 28
Cr.			\$5.001 63
By Payments:			
Fuel and Repairs,			\$030.66
Current Expenses,			\$930 66 4,070 97
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			\$5,001 63
CONDITION OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS MADE THE HOME FOR		LD SPECIF	ICALLY FOR
Balance as stated in the Treasurer's last			*0
page 15,			\$8,057 95
Sum drawn from the General Funds of the present statement,			2,183 28
present statement,			2,105 20
Balance remaining,			\$5.874.67
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The following Communication explains the present condition of other funds not yet turned over to the Society.

BOSTON, October 22, 1889.

S. T. Snow, Esq., Treas. of the Boston Children's Friend Society.

Dear Sir:—Referring to my report to you of October 20, 1888, page 16 of the Annual Report, I desire to say that the two Funds there referred to stand as follows:

The Longwo	od I	Minst	rels'	Fun	d, bal	ance	Nov.	1, 18	388,	\$187 13
Cash received	d,									400 00
Interest,										22 72
Makin	g the	e who	le fu	nd o	n inte	rest l	Nov. 1	, 188	39,	\$609 85
The Quincy	Club	, bala	nce	Nov.	1, 18	88,				\$400 00
Cash receipts	fron	n fair	held	l at t	he Ho	me,				100 00
Interest,										34 40
Makin	g the	who	le fu	nd o	n inte	rest	Nov.	1, 18	89,	\$534 40

Yours truly,

GEORGE HENRY QUINCY.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

OMITTING SO MUCH AS APPEARS IN THE ACCOUNT WITH THE HOME FOR BOYS,

EXCEPTING THE BALANCE PROVIDED HEREFROM.

The Treasurer in account with the BOSTON CHILDRE	N'S FRIEND	SOCIETY.
Dr.		
1889.—Nov. 1.		
RECEIPTS:		
Balance from last account,		\$425 41
		1,619 60
Annual Subscriptions,	•	940 00
CONTRIBUTIONS:		
Old South Church, annual,	\$302 14	
Shawmut Congregational Society, annual, .	202 09	
Net proceeds of the May Day Festival,*		
		1,779 38
Donations:		
Mr. Benj. F. Redfern,	\$5 00	
Messrs. T. R. Marvin & Son,	14 50	
"R,"	50 00	
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey,	5 00	
Mr. John L. Barry,	10 00	
Mr. Amory Leland,	10 00	
Mr. Elijah A. Morse, especially for support of		
Annie Rebecca Breslyn	100 00	
Mrs. Ira M. Conant,	1 00	
Mass. Charitable Fire Society,	100 00	
Mrs. Geo. S. Winslow, Norwood,	16 87	312 37
Legacies:		312 3/
Mr. Samuel Johnson, for a bequest in the will		
of his mother, Mrs. Charlotte A. Johnson, .	\$500 00	
Messrs. Wm. G. Russell and Winslow Warren,		
executors of the will of Mrs. Mary G. Perkins,		
for amount of her legacy as abated by agree-		
ment of October 10, 1888,	3,571 82	
Amounts carried forward,	\$4,071 82	\$5,076 76

^{*} See page 30.

Amounts brought forward, \$4,071 82	\$5,076 76
Messrs. Wm. Minot and Wm. Minot, Jr., trustees under the will of Mr. Chas. Thayer Reed of Cambridge, for a specific legacy of \$1,000, and for one-seventh interest in the residue	
of said estate,	
said Children's Friend Society forever,"* . 500 00	6050 15
Life Members:	6,253 15
Mabel Chase Foster and Paul Weston Foster, by special provision of their mother shortly	
before her decease, \$50 00	
Mrs. Franz Hugo Krebs, 25 00	
Miss Henrietta Capen, 25 00	
Rev. Phillips Brooks, 25 00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:	125 00
Taxes on Bank Stock refunded,	19 65
INCOMES: From Invested Funds, including two items, one of \$30.84 and another of \$300, which more properly belonged in the previous year, . \$3,439 95 Mr. Geo. O. Hovey's Fund for Thanksgiving Dinners,	
	3,474 95
Investments:	A+
	\$15,700 00
	\$30,649 51
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By Payments:	
Investments,	\$20,453 45
Home for Boys:	
Balance paid as per separate statement,	2,183 28
Amount carried forward,	\$22,636 73

^{*} Added to the Permanent Fund. See page 21.

Amount brought forward,	\$22,636 73
Thanksgiving dinners provided by Mr. Geo. O. Hovey's Fund,	35 00
Printing,	164 50
Fuel,	399 94
Repairs and Insurance,	459 26
Current expenses — Rutland St. Home,	6,796 55
Balance carried to new account,	\$30,491 98 157 53
	-57 33
	\$30,649 51

S. T. SNOW, Treasurer.

Boston, November 1, 1889.

Boston, November 1, 1889.

We have examined the foregoing account, and find it correct with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of one hundred and fifty-seven $\frac{5}{100}$ dollars (\$157.53), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

(Signed)

EZRA FARNSWORTH, Auditors.

And following is a copy of the subscription proposed in the last Annual Report (page 13), with such signatures as have thus far been obtained:

BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

No. 48 Rutland Street, Boston.

We, the undersigned, each agree to pay to the above Society one hundred dollars per annum, for the support of one child at Rutland street, or one boy at their Home in Dedham, payable at time indicated below. Any one wishing to discontinue this payment, can do so by giving notice to the Treasurer on making their annual payment.

(Signed)	H. S. CARRUTH, May I,	•	\$100	00
	T. E. BOWMAN & Co., Feb. 1,		100	00
	Mrs. M. B. Mason, Feb. 1,		100	00
	ELIJAH A. MORSE, Feb. 1, (two), each		100	00
	Col. FLETCHER WEBSTER CAMP, No.	47,		
	Mass. Division Sons of Veterans,* .		†100	00
	Henry E. Cobb,*		100	00
	George Henry Quincy,*		100	00

^{*} At any time during the year.

[†] Of which \$60.82 has been received.

[‡] This has been paid since the report was prepared,

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year 1853,	\$2,000	00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the	\$2,000	00
Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858	1,000	00
as the "Dwight Fund," received August 4, 1860,	5,500	00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received November 4, 1861,	1,000	00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received		
, March 13, 1867, and December 1, 1869, From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital	4,170	00
fund of said Institution for investment and income in support thereof," received February 10, 1872,	1,000	00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society		
forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000	00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100	00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanks-		
giving Dinners," received November 21, 1878, From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the	500	00
permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879, .	500	00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25,		
1884,	5,000	00
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received December		
24, 1887,	5,000	00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a Note secured by an approved and regularly recorded Mortgage; "to be known as		
the Longwood Minstrel Fund and to be added to the Perma-		
nent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,	5,000	OO.
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on	,,,,,	
interest and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received August 31, 1889,	500	00
Cilitateles Prient Society forever, Tecerved August 31, 1889,		
	\$34,270	00

ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS FOR 1889.

SHAWMUT CHURCH.

Miss Marion Pratt and Miss Isabella M. Hurlbert, Collectors.

Mrs. C. C. Richmond		\$2 00	Mrs. J. A. Glidden			2	00
Mrs. E. B. Webb .		2 00	Mr. Albert S. Pratt			5	00
Mrs. F. B. Ingraham		2 00	Mr. S. T. Snow .			5	00
Mrs. G. W. Merritt		2 00	Mr. Franklin Crosby			3	00
Mrs. Henry Frost .		2 00	Mr. A. G. Perkins .			3	00
Mrs. S. T. Snow .		2 00	Rice, Kendall & Co.			5	00
Mrs. L. A. Leland		2 00	Mr. C. A. Putnam .			5	00
Mrs. W. E. Hodgkins		2 00	Mr. W. G. Benedict			5	00
Mrs. Franklin Crosby		2 00	Mrs. I. D. Blodgett			2	00
Mrs. Frank W. Hunt		2 00	Messrs. W. H. & S. L.	Em	nery	10	00
Mrs. E. M. Farnsworth		2 00	Mr. C. B. Botsford				00
Mrs. C. C. Hoyt .		2 00	Mrs. Frank Wood			2	00
Mrs. W. G. Benedict		2 00	Mrs. S. C. Shapleigh			2	00
Mrs. F. F. Emery .		2 00	Mrs. L. P. Foster .			2	00
Mrs. J. S. Stone .		2 00	Mrs. M. F. Dickinson			2	00
Mrs. G. B. Drake .		2 00	Miss H. S. Proctor			2	00
Mrs. J. W. Bliss .		2 00	Mrs. F. A. Foster .			2	00
Miss E. J. Wilkins		I 00				_	
Mrs. C. H. Allen .		2 00				\$99	00
Mrs. E. C. Stanwood		2 00					

PARK STREET CHURCH.

Mrs. A. Stowell and Mrs. Fred. Newcomb, Collectors.

Mrs. W. E. Murdock		\$2 00	Mrs. J. T. Newcomb		I	00
Mrs. E. T. Pike .		2 00	Mrs. C. E. Spencer		2	00
Mrs. A. F. Odlin .		I 00	Mrs. W. B. Garritt		2	00
Mrs. G. W. Coburn		2 00	Mrs. S. A. Rollins		2	00
Mrs. G. G. Wilder		2 00	Mr. E. Farnsworth		100	00
Mrs. Eben Cutler .		I 00	Mrs. A. B. Beal .		2	00
Mrs. E. A. Studley		2 00	Mrs. Blake		2	00
Mrs. W. K. Porter		2 00	Mrs. A. Stowell .		2	00
Mrs. W. J. McPherson		2 00				
Mrs. J. A. Lamson		2 00			\$131	00

CENTRAL CHURCH.

Miss E. G. VAN WAGENEN, Collector.

Mrs. Joseph White		\$2 00	Mr. S. C. Houghton .	5 00
Miss Helen White		1 00	Miss Lizzie Houghton .	2 00
Miss Harriet White		1 00	Mrs. Thomas H. Russell	2 00
Miss Grace White		I 00	Mrs. Jonathan White .	2 00
Mrs. J. N. Denison		5 00	Miss Abbie Child	1 50
Mrs. Edw. Kelly .		2 00	Miss Myra Child	1 50
Mrs. Charles Rollins		2 00	Miss Alice Kendall .	I 00
Mrs. G. W. Bullard		I 00	Mrs. E B. Bigelow .	5 00
Mrs. N. Brimbecom		1 00	Mrs. G. F. Bouve	2 00
Mrs. Joel Goldthwaite		2 00	Mrs. Arthur Stanwood .	2 00
Mrs. F. W. Pearson		I 00	Mrs. G. D. Milne	2 00
Mr. W. L. Tower .		5 00	Miss Studley	I 00
Mrs. W. O. Grover		10 00	Miss L. W. Bliss	2 00
Mr. W. O. Grover.		10 00	Mrs. J. C. McKay	2 00
Mrs. A. Van Wagenen		2 00		
Mr. William Houghton		10 00		\$87 00

OLD SOUTH CHURCH.

Miss HARRIET MCCARTER, Collector.

Mrs. E. H. Baker .		\$2 00 1	Mrs. H. D. Hyde	2 00
Miss A. W. Pearson		"	Mrs. William Gaston .	2 00
Mrs. H. E. Richards			Mrs. William Wesselhoeft	2 00
Mrs. Nathan Morse			Miss Florence Boyd .	2 00
Miss Fannie D. Morse			Mrs. M. B. Mason	2 00
Mrs. H. R. Merrill			Mrs. S. E. Mason	2 00
Mrs. J. M. Shute .			Miss Maude A. Batchelder	1 00
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Mrs. Charles Carruth	•	2 00	Mrs. Charles A. Morse.	2 00
Mrs. Hamilton A. Hill		2 00	Mrs. M. W. Richardson	2 00
Miss Annie C. Hill		I 00	Mrs. Ambrose Eastman	2 00
Mrs. R. H. Stearns		5 00	Mrs. Amos Barnes .	2 00
Mrs. J. H. Gray .		2 00	Mr. F. D. Allen	5 00
Mrs. Samuel Johnson		2 00	Mr. Samuel Johnson .	5 00
Mrs. C. B. Wilson		2 00	Master Hamilton Hill .	I 00
Mrs. Alpheus Hardy		2 00	Miss Lidda Boyd	2 00
Miss Elmira Hill .		2 00	Miss Harriet McCarter	I 00
Miss Louisa Hill .		2 00		
Mrs. E. C. Johnson		5 00		\$75 00

UNION CHURCH.

Miss Marion Gay, Collector.

Mrs. W. A. Stetson		\$2 00	Mr. J. A. Lane .		\$5	00
Mrs. H. F. Durant		5 00	Mrs. Geo. H. Burt		2	00
Mrs. J. A. Lane .		2 00	Mrs. J. S. Winn .		2	00
Mrs. W. W. Whitcomb		2 00	Mrs. Thomas P. Smith		0 2	00
Mrs. Albert Gay .		2 00	Mrs. Luther M. Merrill		2	00
Mrs. Thomas White		2 00	Mrs. Geo. H. White		2	00
Miss Louisa J. Brown		2 00	Mrs. R. K. Atwood		2	00
Mrs. J. V. Spaulding		2 00	Mrs. J. L. Martin .		2	00
Mrs. J. B. Potter .		2 00	Mrs. Nelson Curtis		2	00
Mr. Albert Gay .		5 00				
Mrs. F. W. Goodwin		2 00			\$49	00

CLARENDON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. F. H. KREBS, Collector.

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Mrs. F. H. Krebs,	٠	•	\$2 00	Mrs. C. S. Butler .	•	•	\$2 00
Mrs. R. K. Potter .			2 00	Mrs. A. E. Giles .			2 00
Miss Hattie R. Beal			2 00	Mrs. A. J. Gordon			2 00
Miss Edith L. Beal			2 00	Mr. G. H. Quincy .			5 00
Miss Clara G. Beal			2 00	Mr. C. F. Quincy .			5 00
Mrs. William B. Spoor	ner		2 00	Mrs. C. F. Quincy.			2 00
Mrs. S. P. Hibbard			2 00	Mr. G. G. Quincy .			5 00
A Friend			2 00	Mrs. G. G. Quincy			2 00
Mrs. Charles O. Gage			2 00	Mr. S. P. Hibbard			5 00
Mrs. G. H. Quincy			2 00	Mrs. Joseph Kendall			2 00
Mrs. C. D. Gould .			2 00	Mr. Matthew Bolles			5 00
Mrs. J. C. Stevens			2 00	Mrs. C. M. Winch			2 00
Mrs. Francis Jones			2 00	Mrs. J. E. Daniels			2 00
Mrs. G. S. Dexter.			5 00				
Mrs. S. E. Crockett			2 00				\$74 00

WARREN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. F. B. ROGERS, Collector.

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Mrs. Joseph Sawyer		\$2 00	Miss Eliza D. Smith		\$2	00
Mrs. F. B. Rogers		2 00	Mrs. E. W. White		2	00
Mrs. C. E. Wiggin		2 00	Mr. O. M. Wentworth		2	00
Mrs. F. W. Freeborn		2 00	Mrs. Jonathan Parker		2	00
Mrs. A. W. Sawyer		2 00				
Miss M. F. Cogswell		2 00			\$20	00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. G. P. BINGHAM, Collector.

Mrs. S. W. Luce .		\$2 00	Miss Hattie Adams .	\$2	00
Mrs. L. H. Adams		2 00	Miss Henrietta Capen .	2	00
Mrs. J. W. Converse		5 00	Mrs. F. W. Smith	2	00
Mrs. I. W. Chick .		2 00	Mrs. F. S. Hooper .	2	00
Mrs. William Beal		2 00	Mrs. E. D. Hauthaway .	2	00
Mrs. B. W. Dunklee		2 00	Mr. A. S. Woodworth .	5	00
Mrs. L. M. Standish		2 00	Mr. William Fosdick .	5	00
Mrs. A. S. Woodworth		2 00	Mrs. Walter B. Adams .	2	00
Mrs. I. O. Whiting		2 00	Mrs. Frank E. James .	2	00
Mrs. J. D. K. Willis		2 00	Mrs. Costello C. Converse	2	00
Mrs. Z. C. Goodwin		2 00	Mrs. E. C. Fitz	2	00
Mrs. W. H. Leatherbee)	2 00	Mrs. C. B. Lane	2	00
Mrs. C. A. Rogers		2 00	Mrs. J. W. Olmstead .	2	00
Mrs. E. B. Badger		2 00	Mrs. Wm. N. Capen .	2	00
Miss S. M. Stetson		2 00	•		
Miss A. B. Woodward		2 00		\$69	00
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TRINITY CHURCH.

Miss M. L. BLODGETT, · Collector.

Miss Kate Robinson .	\$2 00	Mrs. H. S. Wade	\$5 00
Miss Helen M. Robinson	2 00	Mrs. J. W. Dunklee .	2 00
Mrs. S. N. Brown	2 00	Mrs. William Laurie .	2 00
Mrs. G. G. Crocker .	2 00	Mrs. Margaret Fabens .	2 00
Mrs. Alexander Strong.	2 00	Mrs. R. T. Paine, Jr	10 00
Mrs. E. W. Morton .	2 00	Mrs. Edw. Potter	2 00
Mrs. Charles W. Galloupe	2 00	Miss L. D. Paddock .	2 00
Mrs. Richard S. Fay .	2 00	Mrs. H.C. Snow	2 00
Mrs. Robert Codman .	2 00	Miss Miriam S. Shattuck	2 00
Mrs. Simon Davis .	2 00		
Miss M. J. Allen	2 00		\$51 00

EMMANUEL CHURCH.

Mrs. Henry Whittemore	\$2 00	Mrs. John Hogg .		\$2 00
Mrs. B. S. Pray	2 00	Mrs. A. G. Weeks		2 00
Master J. S. Pray				
Mrs. F. L. Fay	2 00			\$13 00
Mrs. Frank W. Andrews	2 00			

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Mrs. ZENAS SEARS, Collector.

Mrs. W. M. Conant .	. \$2 00	Mrs. Cordelia Tremlett	. \$2 00
Mrs. Peter Harvey	. 2 00	Mrs. M. Field Fowler	2 00
Miss A. C. Everett	. 2 00	Mrs. W. S. Hills .	2 00
Miss S. E. Dorr	. 2 00		
Mrs. D. P. Kimball .	. 5 00		\$19 00
C	HURCH OF	THE MESSIAH.	
Mrs. Causten Browne			\$2 00
Mrs. C. S. Kendall .			2 00
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M	rs. Warren S	TETSON, Collector.	
Mrs. C. U. Cotting .			\$2 00
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Mrs. C. H. Dill			\$2 00
Miss Annie Dill .			2 00
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Mr. Warren Stetson .	. \$5 00	Mr. M. Van Nason	\$5 00
Mrs. George H. Green		Mr. Geo. H. Green	500
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M. Tamas Damas	et a co	Mus Charles D Strong	*
Mrs. James Bowen Mrs. W. W. Baker	. \$2 00	Mrs. Charles P. Strong Miss Norcross	-
Miss Munroe	. 2 00	MISS NOICIOSS .	2 00
Mrs. Eben Dugan	. 2 00		\$12 00
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SOUTI	t CONGREG	ATIONAL CHURCH.	
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Mrs. George O. Carpent			\$2 00
Mrs. A. H. Allen . Mrs. W. F. Nichols .			2 00
WITS. W. F. IVICHOIS .			2 00
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AR	LINGTON ST	REET CHURCH.	
Mrs. W. W. Clapp .			\$2 00
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CHURCH OF THE DISCIPLES.		
Miss Mary R. Parkman	. \$2 00	
KING'S CHAPEL.		
Mrs. D. P. Cheney	. \$2 00	
Mrs. E. D. Jordan	. 2 00	
MDENOVE OF DEFENDING CONTRACTOR	\$4 00	
TREMONT STREET METHODIST CHURCH.		
Mrs. W. M. Hopkins \$2 00 Mrs. Caleb Blodgett .	. \$2 00	
Mrs. Joshua Merrill 2 00 Mrs. William Libbey . Mrs. J. W. Cushing 2 00	. 2 00	
Mrs. C. W. Pierce 2 00	\$14 00	
Miss Pierce 2 00	P.4 00	
BROMFIELD STREET M. E. CHURCH.		
Mrs. Silas Pierce	. \$2 00	
Mrs. H. E. Nichols	. 2 00	
	\$4 00	
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Mrs. Peter Butler \$2 00 Mrs. David W. Noyes .	. \$2 00	
Miss Isabell Butler 2 00 Mrs. C. A. Cutting .	. 2 00	
Peter Butler Olney, Jr 1 00 Miss Eleanor Bigelow .	. 2 00	
Mrs. Joseph Story . 2 00 Mrs. John Alden, Jr Miss Martha B. Osgood . 2 00 Miss Mary Whiting .	. 2 00	
Mr. A. W. Hooper 10 00 Mrs. A. B. Currier .	. 2 00	
Mr. Peter Ripley 5 00 Mrs. C. Berkeley Johnson	. 2 00	
Mr. David W. Noyes 5 00 Mrs. Wm. H. Turner .	. 2 00	
Mrs. Isaac Damon 2 00		
Mr. Wm. Durant 5 00	\$52 00	
UNITARIAN CHURCH, BROOKLINE.		
Mrs. John D. Sturtevant	. \$2 00	
Mrs. Edward Steese	. 2 00	
	\$4 00	
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BROOKLINE.		
Mrs. Edward Stanwood	. \$2 00	
Mrs. Amasa Clarke	. 200	
	\$4 00	

CHURCH OF OUR SA	VIOUR, LONGWOOD.
Mrs. W. H. Lincoln	\$2 00
Mrs. W. R. Lawrence	2 00
Mrs. A. A. Lawrence	10 00
Mrs. John Wales	2 00
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HADWADD CHILD	\$16 00
	CCH, BROOKLINE.
Miss Mary Chase \$1 00	Mrs. E. Wason \$2 00
Mrs. D. W. Russell 2 00	Mrs. H. B. Eager 2 00
Mrs. C. H. Draper 2 00	Mr. Henry Mason 5 00
Mrs. M. L. Hall 5 00	Mr. G. G. Hall 5 00
Mrs. E. I. Thomas 2 00	Miss Mary Whitney 2 00
Mrs. H. S. Burdett 2 00	Mrs. Amos S. Young 2 00
Mrs. W. H. Wilder 2 00	Mrs. W. B. Wood's daughters 5 00
Mrs. Henry Pierce 2 00	Mrs. Charles H. Wood 5 00
Mrs. D. D. Dana 2 00	Mrs. W. F. Hall 2 00
Mrs. James S. Whitney . 2 00	Mr. Alan G. Mason 2 00
Mrs. Henry Mason 2 00	A Friend 2 00
Mrs. G. F. Fabyan 2 00	Mrs. William F. Hall 2 00
Mrs. Ann Edwards 2 00	
Mrs. Reuen Thomas 2 00	\$66 00
SECOND PARISE	H, DORCHESTER.
Miss M. B. M	EANS, Collector.
Mrs. T. V. Shaw \$2 00	Mr. Elbridge Torrey \$5 00
Mrs. E. D. Miller 2 00	Mr. T. B. Townsend 5 00
Mrs. William Quincy Wales . 2 00	Mrs. C. A. Hall 5 00
Miss E. B. Sharp 1 00	Mrs. O. F. Rogers 2 00
Mrs. J. H. Means 3 00	Mrs. E. S. Merrihew 2 00
Mrs. J. W. Brooks 5 00	Mrs. J. Alfred Tucker 2 00
Mrs. M. B. Means 3 00	
Mrs. J. W. Field 2 00	\$41 00
DIDIEV STREET	BAPTIST CHURCH.
	OMBER, Collector.
Mrs. W. A. Bowdlear \$2 00	Mrs. William Hunneman . \$2 00
Mrs. John Carr 2 00	Mrs. Edw. Kimball 2 00
Mrs. Stephen Bowen 2 00	Miss Emma Hart 2 00
Mrs. Jane R. Pitts 2 00	
Miss S. E. Macomber 1 00	\$15 00
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ELIOT CHURCH, ROXBURY.

Miss MAY THOMPSON, Collector.

Mrs. A. C. Thompson .				\$2 00									
WALNUT AVENUE CHURCH, ROXBURY.													
Mrs. Charles F. Bray .				\$2 00									
Mrs. C. A. Aldrich			•	2 00									
				\$4 00									
HIGHLAND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.													
Mrs. S. N. Stockwell .				\$2 00									
DE	DHAM C	HURCHES.											
Mr. Ira Cleveland	\$5 00 1	Mrs. Chas. Parks		\$2 00									
Miss M. C. Burgess	}	THE POST OF THE PO		2 00									
Mrs. Arthur M. Backus .	1	Miss Laura McWaim		2 00									
Mrs. George F. Wight	3	Mrs. Ella A. Chase .		2 00									
Mrs. George Marsh	1	Mrs. Horatio G. Turner		2 00									
Mrs. E. P. Cassell	- 1												
Mrs. L. A. W. Fowler	2 00 !			\$27 00									
CAM	BRIDGE	CHURCHES.											
Mrs. Joshua Lincoln	\$2 00	Mr. C. W. Stetson		5 00									
Mrs. H. R. Glover	2 00	Mrs. G. Whittemore		2 00									
Mrs. J. Warren Merrill	5 00	Mr. S. F. Kelley .		10 00									
Mrs. H. C. Rand	2 00												
Mr. Henry D. Yerxa	10 00			\$38 00									

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A. B.), do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

MAY DAY FESTIVAL.

			C	R.						
Old South Table, .									\$162	00
Union Church Table										
and Mrs. Nehem										
and Mrs. E. G. I									165	77
First Baptist Church									239	16
Mrs. Poole's Table,									117	00
Flower Table, .									31	73
Cake Table,									24	15
Arrow Table, .									20	17
Café, including donations as follows: From Mrs. F. I. Pratt,										
\$5, Mrs. L. S. W										
Q. Stimpson, M.			-				0			
Mrs.Jona. A. Lan									120	73
Young People's Ber										
Brookline, .									211	
Miscellaneous, .									174	89
Donation from Miss V	Whitel	nead.	٠	•		٠	•	•	20	00
									\$1,286	77
Expenses,									II	62
Net proceeds, .				•	•				\$1,275	15

CONTRIBUTORS OF ARTICLES AND CASH TO THE TABLES AND CAFÉ.

Adams, Mrs. A. A. Adams, A. J. Adams, Mrs. A. J. Adams, Miss Hattie J. Adams, Miss Kitty. Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Albree, Mrs. John. Alford, Miss Mattie. Allen, Mrs. Mabel. Allen, Mrs. Thomas, Jr. Andrew, Mrs. George. Atwood, Mrs. R. R. Baker, Miss. Baker, Mrs. J. Y. Baker, Mrs. J. Y. Baker, Mrs. Wm. W.	A Friend.	P	Aldrich, Mrs. S. N.
Adams, Mrs. A. J. Adams, Miss Hattie J. Adams, Miss Kitty. Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Allen, Mrs. Thomas, Jr. Andrew, Mrs. George. Atwood, Mrs. R. R. Baker, Miss. Baker, Mrs. J. Y.	Adams, Mrs. A. A.	A	Alford, Miss Mattie.
Adams, Miss Hattie J. Andrew, Mrs. George. Adams, Miss Kitty. Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Baker, Mrs. J. Y.	Adams, A. J.	P	Allen, Miss Mabel.
Adams, Miss Kitty. Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Baker, Miss. Baker, Mrs. J. Y.	Adams, Mrs. A. J.	A	Allen, Mrs. Thomas, Jr.
Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Baker, Miss. Baker, Mrs. J. Y.	Adams, Miss Hattie J.	P	Andrew, Mrs. George.
Ainsley, Mrs. J. R. Baker, Mrs. J. Y.	Adams, Miss Kitty.	P	Atwood, Mrs. R. R.
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Albree, Mrs. John. Baker, Mrs. Wm. W.	Ainsley, Mrs. J. R.	F	Baker, Mrs. J. Y.
	Albree, Mrs. John.	E	Baker, Mrs. Wm. W.

Barnes, Mrs. Amos. Bayley, Mrs. J. R. Belknap, Miss. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Blake, Mrs. Charles. Blanchard, F. E. Blunt, Harvey. Bowen, Mrs. James. Boyd, Miss Lidda. Brice, Mrs. M. A. Brown, Mrs. Brown, Miss Louise. Butler, Mrs. C.S. Burdett, Mrs. Frank W. Burdett, Mrs. Geo. A. Burdett, Mrs. H. S. Burpee, Miss. Butler, Miss Emma. Calder, Mr. Capen, Mrs. E. W. Chapman, Mrs. L. D. Chick, Mrs. E. E. Chick, Mrs. F. S. Chick, Mrs. J. W. Church, Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. D. L. Clark, Miss Mabel. Cobb, Bates & Yerxa. Colby, Mrs. John F. Converse, Mrs. C. C. Converse, J. W. Converse, Mrs. J. W. Converse, Mrs. Elisha. Coolidge, Miss Minnie. Cotton, Miss Lydia. Covel, Mrs. A. S. Crump, Mrs. Charles. Cummings, Mrs. Thomas. Cutler, Miss Alice M. Cutler, Miss Lilian. Cutler, Mrs. M. M. Cutting, Mrs. C. A. Currier, Mrs. A. B. Dana, Miss Marion. Daniels, Mrs. J. E. Davis, Mrs. D. P.

Davis, Miss Mabel C.

Day, Miss Louisa. Drake, Mrs. G. B. Dunbar, Miss Florence. Dunklee, Mrs. B. W. Dutton, the Misses. Edwards, Miss A. Edwards, Mrs. Geo. H. Edwards, Miss Phœbe. Fairbanks, Mrs. Frank. Farlow, G. A. Farnsworth, Mrs. C. H. Ferguson, Mrs. Fiske, Miss Mollie. Fleming, Miss Barbara. Fosdick, Mrs. Wm. Franz, Mrs. Freeman, Mr. Gaston, Mrs. Wm. Gay, Albert. Gay, Mrs. Albert. Gay, Charles A. Gifford, Mrs. Glidden, Mrs. Wm. Glover, Mrs. H. R. Godding, Mrs. J. C. Gooding, Mrs. T. P. Goodwin, Mrs. Lester. Goodwin, Mrs. L. C. Gordon, Rev. L. A. Green, G. H. Green, Mrs. G. H. Grimmer, Mr. Gutterson, Mrs. W. E. Gutterson, Miss M. L. Hall; Miss Mamie. Hall, Mrs. M. L. Hammond, Mrs. Albert. Hatch, Mr. Hatheway, Mrs. A. L. Hollingsworth & Whitney. Hollis, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. W. J. Hooper, Mrs. S. S. Hosmer, Mrs. E. B. Hotchkiss, N. S. Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S. Howard, Mrs.

Hunt, Mrs. L. D. Hvde, Mrs. H. D. Hyde, Miss L. Ide, Mrs. G. L. Ide, Miss Emily K. James, Mrs. Elisha. Jaques, G. E. Jaquith, Mrs. H. J. Johnson, Mrs. Samuel. Jones, Mrs. C. E. Jones, Mrs. Francis. Jones, Mrs. O. N. Kellar, A. Kent, Mrs. H. M. Krebs, Mrs. F. H. Laighton, Miss G. Lane, Miss Amy. Lane, Mrs. J. A. Lane, J. A. Lane, J. C. Libby, Miss Ella. Leland, Mrs. L. A. Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua. Lord, Mr. Lodge, Mrs. J. T. Loring, Mrs. G. S. Loring, Miss E. Lowney, Walter M. Luce, Miss Mattie. Mandell, M. Manning, Miss Alice. Martin, Mrs. J. L. Mason, Miss K. M. Matthews, Miss A. B. McCarter, Miss H. McDonald, D. S. Merrill, Mrs. Albert. Merrill, Miss F. Merrill, Mrs. H. R. Merrill, Mrs. Moses. Methodist Pub. House. Miles, Mrs. J. B. Morey, Mrs. Edwin. Morse, Mrs. Charles. Newcomb, Mrs. Nelson, E. B. Nelson, Miss Hattie.

Nelson, Miss E. H. Noyes, Mrs. D. W. Noyes, Mrs. J. E. Ordway, Miss Bessie. Page & Shaw. Page, Mrs. S. E. Panter, Miss Lucy. Peabody, Mrs. Peirce, Mrs. Silas. Pitman, Mrs. B. F. Pitts, Mrs. J. R. Pollard, Miss. Pond, Mrs. Albert. Pond, Mrs. E. B. Poor, Mrs. C. C. Pousland, Miss G. Porteus, Mrs. J. Potter, Mrs. J. B. Powers, J. P. Pratt, Mrs. E. F. Quincy, Mrs. C. F. Quincy, Mrs. G. G. Read, Mrs. C. M. Rhodes Bros. Rhodes, Mr. Richards, Miss. Richardson, Mrs. Moses. Ricker, Miss Alice. Ricker, Miss Emma. Roberts, Mrs. Charles. Rogers, Mrs. F. R. Rough, James. Royce, Mrs. H. A. Ryder, Mrs. C. C. Sands, Mrs. W. H. Sargent, Mrs. Charles. Sawyer, Mrs. Arthur. Sawyer, A. H. Sawyer, Mrs. A. H. Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph. Seamans, Miss Ella. Seeley, Miss. Sewing Circle, Quincy. Shaffer, Mrs. D. W. Shapleigh, Mrs. Edward. Shapleigh, Mrs. Frank. Sharp, Mrs. Edward.

Shillaber, Mrs. J. G. Shuman, A., & Co. Simonds, Miss M. E. Smith, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Mrs. E. P. Smith, Miss M. J. Smith, Thomas. Smith, Mrs. T. P. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Snow, Mrs. S. T. Southard, Mrs. C. B. Spalding, Mrs. J. V. Sprague, Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Miss M. C. Stearns, Mrs. R. H. Stetson, W. A. Stetson, Mrs. Warren. Stoddard, Mrs. Chester. Stowell, Mrs. Alexander. Sturtevant, Mrs. B. F. Teele, Mrs. J. O. Thomas, Mrs. C. A.

Thompson, Miss Martha.

Thompson, Mrs. S.

Tower, Mrs. L., Jr.

Bingham, Mrs.

Bird, H.

Tower, Mr.

Tufts, Wm. Universalist Pub. House. Vendome. Vialle, C. H. Wales, Miss E. A. Walker, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. L. A. Weber, Frederic. Weston, L. G. Wetherell, Mrs. Geo. Whipple, Mrs. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. W. White, Mrs. Geo. White, Mrs. Joseph. White, Mrs. Thomas. Wilbur, Miss Eleanor. Williams, Mrs. Henry. Wilkinson, Mrs. Arthur. Wilson, Mrs. C. B. Wilson, Mrs. S. D. Winn, J. C. Withington, Miss A. Wood, Mrs. Charles. Wright, Mrs. L. A. Wright, Miss L. Philura.

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Foster, F. A.
Fox Bros.
Gay, Mrs. Albert.
Goodwin, Mrs.
Hall, Mrs. M. L.
Hall, Miss Florence.
Hall, Miss F. E.
Hall & Cole.
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DONATIONS

FOR THE RUTLAND STREET HOME,

FROM NOVEMBER, 1888, TO NOVEMBER, 1889.

CLOTHING.

Adams, Mrs. Band of United Workers, Watertown. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Blood, Mrs. Albert. Bolles, Mrs. Bonnell, Mrs. F. J. Bowles, Mrs. R. I. Capen, Mrs. Capen, Miss. Capen, Miss H. Chamberlin, Mrs. Dame, Mrs. J. A. Daniels, Mrs. J. E. Dunklee, Mrs. B. W. Durgin, Mrs. Fosdick, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Goodhue, Mrs. Charles Hewins, Mrs. Hurlburt, Miss. Hyde, Mrs. H. D. Johnson, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Francis. Krebs, Mrs. F. H.

Lane, Mrs. J. C.

Loomis, Mrs. E. G.

McLeod, Mrs.

Mann, Mrs.

Marsh, Mrs.

Mason, Miss K. M. Mayo, Mrs. E. B. Miller, Miss Abbie. Morse, Miss. Moseley, T. E. Noyes, Mrs. D. W. Parker, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Asa P. Rice, Mrs. H. Frank. Richmond, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Sawver, Mrs. Arthur. Sewing Circle, Cong. Ch., Quincy. Shawmut Ch. Sewing Society. Shepard, Norwell & Co. Snow, Mrs. S. F. Snow, Mrs. S. T. Sprague, Mrs. E. H. Stearns, R. H. Stevens, Miss. Stowell, Mrs. Alexander. Thayer, Mrs. Walworth, Mrs. A. C. Ware, Mrs. R. A. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. W. Wiley, Mrs. Wright, Mrs.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

A Friend. Albree, Mrs. John. Bingham, Mrs. G. P.

Blanchard, F. C. Briggs, Mrs.

Brimbecom, Mrs. Blunt, Harvey.

Dedham Home. Eaton, Mrs.

Emerson, Mrs. Fosdick, Mrs.

Freeman, J. E.

Gay, Mrs.

Glover, Mrs. H. R. Hotchkiss, Mrs.

Kendall & Nichols. Lane, Mrs. J. A.

Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.

Loomis, E. G.

Lord & Spencer. Murdock, Dr.

Page, Dr. C. E.

Potter, Mabel, Maud, and Robbie.

Quincy, G. H. Rice, Miss Mary S. Rhodes, Mr. Sargent & Burr.

Sprague, Mrs. E. H.

Trull, John.

Union Workers, Union Church.

Waldron, Rev. D. W.

Wiley, Miss.

Wilkins, Dea. S. C.

Winch, Mrs. C. M.

Wright, Mrs. A. M.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS AND FLOWERS.

A Friend.

Adams, The Misses.

Allen, Mrs.

Bingham, Mrs. G. P.

Bolles, Mrs.

Bowles, Mrs. R. I.

Bradley, Mrs.

Bradley, Francis. Brimbecom, Mrs.

Blunt, Miss Lillie.

Capen, Miss.

Chamberlin, Mrs. J. W.

Cheney, Mrs.

Daniels, Mrs. J. C. Davis, Miss Ethel.

Dunklee, Mrs. B. W.

Eaton, Mrs.

Gill, Miss Amy. Gill, Walter.

Harvey, Mrs. Sophia.

Heyer, E. J.

Higgins, Master Neal.

Holyoke, Dr. W. C.

Hyde, Mrs. H. D.

Hyde, Miss L.

Jordan, Marsh & Co.

Josselyn, Mrs. R. H.

Kimball, Mrs.

Krebs, Mrs. F. H.

Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.

Miss Marshall's Class, Everett School.

Marvin, T. R. & Son. Mayo, Mrs. E. B.

Merriam, Mrs.

Merritt, Mrs.

Morse, Miss.

Noyes, Mrs. Pierce, J. M.

Potter, Asa and Don.

Quincy, G. H.

Sanderson, Mrs.

Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph.

Shreve, Mr.

Temporary Home.

Waldron, Rev. D. W.

Wales, Mrs. W. Q.

Watertown Willing Workers. Wentworth, Miss F. A. Whitcomb, Miss M. S. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. W. Whitney, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. C. B. W. C. T. U. of S. Sudbury. Woman's Temperance Union. Young Woman's Temp. Union.

CROCKERY, FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

Adams, Mrs. W. B.
Bingham, Mrs. G. P.
Bolles, Mrs. R. W.
Capen, Miss H.
Chipman, Mr. G. W.
Fosdick, Mrs.
Goodwin, Mrs. T. C.
Hall, Mrs. M. L.

Hooper, Mrs. F. S.

Jordan, Marsh & Co. Libby, Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. J. Norcross, Mellen & Co. "Granma Pierce." Potter, Mrs. R. K. Stetson, Miss S. M. Zinn, W. H.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Band of United Workers, Watertown.
Bolles, Mrs.
Boston & Lynn Street R.R.
Cotton, Mr.
Curtis, Arthur.
Curtis, Rev. N. D. and family.
Dunklee, Mrs. B. W.
Foster, Mrs.
Fresh Air Fund.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.
Harwood, Mr.
Harwood, J. A.
Hinckley, Rev. G. H.
Hutchins, Mrs.

Jordan, Marsh & Co.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Mason, Miss K. M.
Monroe, F. A.
Morse Bros.
Newton, M. A.
Plimpton, H. M.
Potter, Asa P.
Potter, Mrs. Asa P.
Smith, Mrs. Charles.
Stowell, Mrs A.
Tash, Dr. I. D.
West End Street R.R.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES,

AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

For the Childre	n,		Mrs. S. E. Page 2 00
Mrs. W. P. Balch		\$1 00	Mrs. L. M. Standish 5 00
For Christmas			Mrs. Anna M. Wright 20 00
Mrs. J. Albree		2 50	For Clothing.
Mr. Leander Beal		5 00	Mrs. Capen 1 00
Mr. S. N. Brown		3 00	Miss H. Capen 10 00
Mr. B. E. Cole		5 00	For Coffee.
Mr. J. E. Daniels		2 00	Mrs. H. R. Glover 2 00
Mr. Wm. Durant		5 00	For Ice Cream.
Mrs. H. R. Glover .		2 00	Mr. G. H. Quincy 500
Mrs. M. L. Hall		5 00	For Alice Badger.
Mr. C. S. Kendall		5 00	
Mrs. Joshua Lincoln .		I 00	Mr. Cotton 5 00
Mr. Lyman Nichols .		15 00	\$101 50

DONATIONS FOR THE HOME FOR BOYS.

FROM NOVEMBER, 1888, TO NOVEMBER, 1889.

CLOTHING.

A Friend.
Albree, Mrs. John.
Bingham, G. P.
Chase, Merritt & Co.
G. M. Clapp & Co.
Cong. Society, Norwood.
Collins & Fairbanks.
Copeland, Mrs. F.
Daniels, Mrs. J. E.
Dean, George.
Fosdick, J. W.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
Frost, George & Co.
Hatch, George.
Hilles, Mrs. Conrad.

Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Luce, Mrs. E. B.
Luce, Mrs. H. M.
Marsh, Mrs. George.
Murdock Food Co.
Noyes Bros.
Old South Table, May Day Festival.
Potter, Mrs. Asa P.
Rogers, Mrs. C. M.
Rutland Street Home.
Standard Clothing Co.
Towle, Mrs. S. W.
Tuttle & Co.
White, Mrs.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

A Friend.
Albree, Mrs. John.
Ellis, Mrs. C. F.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
High School Reunion.
Hilles, Mrs. Conrad.
Johnson, E.
Knights, Mr.
Lane, J. A.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Loomis, E. G.
Millis, Mrs. H. L.

Morse, E. P.

Quincy, G. H.
Reed, H. H.
Sanderson, Mr.
Seabury, Mrs. J. B.
Smith, Miss.
Smith, L. E.
Towle, Mrs. S. W.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.
Wentworth, A. B.
Wentworth, Mrs. A. B.
White, Mr.
White, Mrs.
Zieisch, Mrs.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS AND FLOWERS.

A Friend. Albree, Mrs. John. Alden, Mrs. Bond, G. H. Boyd, Walter K. Durell, Mrs. W. H. Ford, D. S. Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W. Gordon, Rev. A. J. Howard, Ethel. Jordan, Marsh & Co. Lovejoy, Alvan L. Marsh, George. Marsh, Mrs. George. McClearn, Herbert. Morse, E. A. Noves Bros.

Noyes, D. W. Olmstead, Dr. Parker Bros. Pierce, J. F. Potter, Mrs. R. K. Quincy, C. F. Quincy, G. H. Rutland Street Home. Sanderson, Mr. Sprague, Mrs. E. H. Waldron, Rev. D. W. Wales, Miss E. A. "The Watchman," Wentworth, Miss Frances A. Whitcomb, Mrs. W. W. Winch, Mrs. C. M.

CROCKERY, FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

A Friend.
Albree, Mrs. John.
American Rubber Co.
Ames Plow Co.
Breck & Sons.
Clark, Miss.
Cong. Society, Norwood.
Flanders, Miss Emily.
Florence Oil Stove Co.
French, A. & Co.
Frye, Phipps & Co.
Goldthwaite, Joel.
Greeley, Rufus F.
Hills, Turner & Co.

Jones, McDuffee & Stratton.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Morse, Elisha A.
Morse & Whyte.
Norwood Sewing Circle.
Paine Furniture Co.
Pray, John H. & Sons.
Quincy, C. F.
Quincy, Mrs. G. H.
Stowell, A. & Co.
Wales, Miss E. A.
Warner, R. & Co.
Zinn, W. H.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bowles, Kimball & Wilde.
Boston & Lynn St. R.R.
Bradley Fertilizer Co.
Breck & Sons.
Cassell, Mrs. E. P.
Chandler & Barber.
Claflin, W. H. & Co.
Clark, W. B. & Co.
Curtis, Arthur.
Curtis, Rev. N. D. & family.

Dexter Bros.
Dodge, Haley & Co.
Dudley, E. L.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
Goodwin, Geo. C.
Hinkley, Rev. G. W.
Howe & French.
Hyde, H. D.
Lane, J. A.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.

Loomis, E. G.
Lord, F. C.
Masten & Wells.
Millis, H. L.
Murdock Food Co.
Noyes Bros.
Old Colony R.R.
Oliver, E. F.
Parker Bros.
Parker, Wood & Co.
Potter, Mrs. R. K.
Quincy, C. F.

Quincy, G. H.
Rutland Street Home.
Sampson, Murdock, & Co.
Seavey, Foster & Bowman.
Wales, Mrs. W.
Walworth Mfg. Co.
Ward, Samuel & Co.
Weber, Herman.
Wentworth, Mrs. A. B.
West End Street R.R.
Whitcomb, Mrs. W. W.
Willard, Ouincy & Co.

Quincy, C. F.	Willard, Quincy & Co.
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AND NOT INCLUDED IN	THE TREASURER'S REPORT.
For the Children.	For Christmas.
Mrs. J. Albree \$2 50	Mrs. H. R. Glover 2 00
Miss Florence A. Boyd . 10 00	Mr. F. W. Lane 5 00
Mr. Jordan 2 00	Mr. J. C. Lane 1 00
Mrs. J. McKinley 5 00	R. W. Morville, Jr 2 00
Mr. D. W. Noyes 10 00	Mr. Cyrus Page 10 00
	Mrs. R. K. Potter 1 00
For some poor boy.	For Trip to Nantasket.
Master Eben Shute, 5 00	Mr. H. B. Endicott 35 00
	\$90 50

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Bullard, J. R. Burgess, E. P. Burgess, Miss M. B. Cartwright, George. Chase, Mrs. E. A. Chase, Mrs. J. W. Crocker, Mrs. H. E. Cutter, Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W. Gay, Timothy. Gould, Miss A. E. Greenleaf, Charles. Mason, Miss Mary F. Moody, Miss Grace. Morse, Elmer P. Nickerson, Henry. Norris, Mrs. A. J. O. C. Club of Endicott.

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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the "Boston Children's Friend Society."

ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life-membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of Twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at 11 A. M., at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the Annual Meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel, and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the Annual Meeting a list of officers, and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. 11. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the Institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the Institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance, consisting of two members of the Board of Advisers, shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its Deeds, Bonds, Stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an Honorary Member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.

ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an Annual Meeting.



LIST OF MEMBERS.



HONORARY MEMBERS.

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*Baldwin, Mrs. James F. *Beecher, Mrs. Lyman

*Bliss, Mrs. Seth Cushing, Mrs. Thomas P. *Eustis, Mrs. W. T.

*Fowle, Mrs. Parker

Giles, Mrs. Alfred E. Greenwood, Mrs. Ira *Howe, Mrs. Jabez C.

*Kendall, Mrs. C. S.

Mears, Miss Catharine *Proctor, Mrs. John C.

*Reynolds, Mrs. William

Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph *Smith, Mrs. Ebenezer *Tappan, Mrs. John Waitt, Mrs. Henry *Watts, Mrs. Francis O. *Wilde, Mrs. George C.

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*Rev. & *Mrs. N. Adams Rev. F. B. Allen *Rev. & *Mrs. G.W.Blag-

*Rev. & *Mrs. G. W. Blagden Rev. Phillips Brooks, D. D. *Rev. & Mrs. C. M. Butler Rt. Rev. T. M. Clark Rev. & Mrs. E. L. Clark Rev. & Mrs. C. B. Crane

*Rev. J. H. Fairchild Rev. & Mrs. A. J. Gordon Rev. H. K. Greene Rt. Rev. & Mrs. F. D. Huntington

*Rev. & *Mrs. W. Hague *Rev. & Mrs. G. B. Ide *Rev. & *Mrs. W. M. Ro-

gers Rev. & Mrs. Chas. Smith Rev. & Mrs. A. L. Stone *Rev. & Mrs. J. S. Stone *Rev. & *Mrs. B. Stow Rev. J. H. Towne Rev. & Mrs. E. B. Webb

Adams, Mrs. C. P. Adams, Mrs. L. H.

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*Aiken, Mrs. Silas
Alger, Mrs. Silas
Allen, Mrs. A. H.
Allen, Mrs. C. H.
Ahl, Mrs. Daniel
*Allen, Mrs. Frederick D.
Amory, Mrs.
Amory, Mrs. J. S.
Appleton, Mrs. S.

Babcock, *Mr. & Mrs C.A.

*Babcock, Mrs. Eliza
Babcock, Mrs. Nancy
Bacon, Miss A. E.
Bacon, Mr. & Mrs. Jacob
Baker, Mr. & Mrs. J. F.

*Baldwin, Mr. & Mrs. J. F.

*Baldwin, Mrs. M. D.
Ball, Mr. Richard

*Barker, Miss S. O.
Barrett, Mrs. H.
Basto, Mrs. Mary A.
Baxter, Miss S.
Baxter, Miss S.
Baxter, Miss S.
Beal, Miss Edith L.
Beal, Miss Hattie R.

Beal, Mrs. Henry
Beal, Mrs. W. L.
Beardsley, Mrs. Beardsley, Mrs.
Bent, Mrs. Georgia H.
Bingham, Mrs. Geo. P.
Bixby, Mrs. G. B.
Bixby, Mrs. J. P.
*Bliss, Mrs. Seth
Bowdlear, Mrs. H.
*Bowles, Mrs. S. J.
Boynton, Rev. Nehemiah
Boynton, Mrs. Nehemiah
*Breed, Mrs. H.
Brooks, Miss Sarah G.
Brown, Mrs. C. H.
Brown, Mrs. C. H.
Brown, Mrs. S. N.
Brown, Mrs. S. N.
Brown, Mrs. William
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REPORT.

This Society begins its fifty-seventh year with eighty-six children under its immediate care, the general health at each Home being good.

The following figures show the present numbers and the changes during the year:—

RUTLAND STREET HOME.

Whole number, Nov. 1, 1	890							58
52 Girls. 6 Boys.								
Admitted during the year								22
21 Girls. 1 Boy.								
Dismissed during the year								34
30 Girls. 4 Boys.								
Died								2
ı Girl. ı Boy.								
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ı Girl.								
Adopted from this Home								I
ı Girl.								
BOYS'	H	OME	AT	DEI	OHA	Μ.		
Whole number, Nov. 1, 1	890							28
Admitted during the year								9
Dismissed during the year								12
Readmitted during the ye	ar							2
Surrendered to the Society	y .							2

Two girls dismissed from the Rutland Street Home had reached the age of eighteen years; and one of the boys dismissed from the Home at Dedham was sent to Goodwill Farm, the new Home for boys at East Fairfield, Maine, started a year ago by the Rev. G. W. Hinckley. The two

children who died during the year, both inmates of the Rutland Street Home, were Zelma Domine and Owen Eaton; Zelma, who had lived at this Home five and a half years, was seventeen years of age; she died of consumption Dec. 1, 1889, passing peacefully away; her faith was simple and earnest. Owen Eaton, one of the nursery children, died of scarlet fever at the City Hospital, April 25, 1890, at the age of two years and ten months.

In addition to the above facts, some members of the Society may be interested to know that a number of children, who have been under the direct care of this Society, are living in homes, generally in New England, where they are loved and cared for as members of the families in which they live; at any time they may be returned to the Home, as the Society is still responsible for them, since they have not been formally surrendered to these families, but practically they are very seldom returned, if a few months' trial proves them satisfactory to their new friends.

During the winter, each Home suffered from the prevailing influenza, but there were no serious cases. The Rutland Street Home had several cases of scarlet fever early in the spring, all, with the one exception already mentioned, proving light and easily managed; there have also been at this Home, during the year, some cases of whooping-cough and other diseases common among children.

The Managers take this opportunity to express their grateful thanks to Dr. Holyoke, of Boston, and Drs. Babcock and Chase, of Dedham, for their untiring care of the children at the respective Homes, also to Drs. F. L. and E. E. Jack for their occasional services, in their different departments, to children at the city Home. Thanks are likewise due to Dr. Woodward, a lady, who, during the past year, has given her services, as dentist, to the children of the same Home.

As the appearance of scarlet fever made it necessary to hold the May Day Festival away from the Rutland Street Home, the vestry of Shawmut Church was secured for the purpose, and the fair held there realized more than thirteen hundred dollars for the two Homes. It is hoped that the subscription papers which are soon to be circulated will meet with a hearty reception. The statement heading each paper sufficiently explains its object and reads as follows:—

"To relieve the lady Managers of the Children's Friend Society from the great amount of work and anxiety in holding a fair in connection with the annual May Day Festival, and to provide otherwise for the needed means for the support of the work, we, the undersigned, agree to pay the following sums set against our names.

"We will also solicit from our friends, contributions of money, instead of articles for the fair, or send the names of friends, likely to respond, to the Committee."

Deacon S. C. Wilkins, Rev. D. W. Waldron, and Rev. J. B. Seabury have shown their interest as usual during the year; Deacon Wilkins meeting the children at the Rutland Street Home once a week for the study of the Bible; Rev. J. B. Seabury meeting the boys once a month for the same purpose; and Rev. D. W. Waldron contributing to each Home, sending donations of provisions at Thanksgiving, cards and papers at Christmas, and Easter cards in the spring; for the children in the city Home, Dr. Waldron sent street-car tickets and tickets for Nantasket, and Deacon Wilkins sent tickets to Franklin Park, during the summer.

Even valentines have not been forgotten; every child at the Rutland Street Home received one,—a gift from The Young People's Missionary Society of the Shawmut Universalist Church,—and some of the boys at Dedham received them from a friend.

The two Homes have exchanged gifts during the year, the Home in town contributing clothing, and that at Dedham vegetables and fruit from its garden.

On the walls of the Committee-room at the city Home have been placed, this year, the portrait of Mr. S. T. Snow, until the past year Treasurer of the Society for twenty-two years; also some early manuscripts relating to the origin and the work of the first year of the Society, and interesting on that account; these manuscripts, carefully preserved by one

of the Managers, were suitably framed for this room by a former Manager. The school-room of this Home possesses a new piano given, within a few months, by a few of the Managers and other friends. The parlor of the Boys' Home contains a model of the Eiffel Tower, a gift, received the past year, from Mr. C. F. Quincy.

Some repairs have been made in the play-yards of the Rutland Street Home recently, and a large box to contain sand was built in one corner of the little children's yard, while two tents, given by Mr. G. H. Quincy, were placed in this and another yard; the sand, with two dozen pails and shovels for the sand garden, was given by The Playground and Sand Garden for Children of the Massachusetts Emergency and Hygiene Society, at the solicitation of one of the Managers.

At a little entertainment given for the older girls in June, the matron, in charge, was surprised by some charades and songs prepared expressly for her pleasure by the girls.

Although Mr. Hinckley, of Maine, kindly proposed again this year to make arrangements, as he did last year, for a summer outing in that State for a few children from each Home, it was not considered advisable, because of the distance, to accept his offer, and the majority of the children have passed the summer at the Homes; some, however, have visited friends. The tickets given the Rutland Street Home enabled all the children to visit Franklin Park once, while the smaller children went there several times; the older girls went once, at least, to Nantasket, some of them went more than once. At the time of the Grand Army parade, one of the Managers provided a room from which the older girls could see the procession.

The boys at Dedham began their outings in March with a sleigh-ride which Rev. Mr. Seabury's kindness provided for them. In June, one of the Managers arranged boat-rides for them, on four successive evenings. In August, Mr. H. B. Endicott, of Dedham, sent all the boys to Nantasket for a day's pleasure; while there the owner of a roller-coaster

gave them sixteen free rides on the coaster. In September, some boys from this Home were sent to the Mechanics' Fair, by their friend, Mr. G. H. Quincy. In the spring, Mrs. Wolcott, of Dedham, sent the boys a gift of fifty geranium plants for their garden. Mr. G. L. Conner, of the Old Colony Railroad, has generously given all the boys passes on that road a number of times, thus adding much to their pleasure.

For several years the boys of this Home, under the direction of one of the Managers, have sung on various occasions, in Dedham and elsewhere; this year proves no exception, since they have sung at an entertainment given by the Women's Industrial and Educational Union in Boston, and at several Sunday-school concerts and a lawn party in Dedham; they also sang temperance songs two Sundays in August, at the Dedham Temporary Asylum, to the great delight of the poor women there, who expressed much interest when they learned that the boys were from the Home in Dedham, of which they had heard.

Aside from the two deaths among the children, this Society has been saddened the past year by the deaths of Mr. B. F. Sturtevant, one of the Board of Advisers, and a very warm friend and liberal benefactor, of Mr. Ezra Farnsworth, an Auditor of the Society and Mr. Francis Jones, who had for many years expressed their interest in the Society's growth most sincerely and substantially; and of Mrs. S. C. Vogel, a member of the Women's Press Club, who had interested herself in the Boys' Home.

A number of resignations have been received the past month. Mrs. G. B. Drake, officially connected with the Society for eleven years, first as Corresponding Secretary and for the last six years as Manager, has found it necessary, on account of ill health, to bring her long and faithful service to a close. Mrs. E. A. Chase, for four years a member of the Board of Managers, has lately resigned; the ladies with whom she has been associated gratefully acknowledge the helpful interest she has shown during this time. Mr. Don Gleason Hill, a member of the Board of Advisers, who has

been chiefly interested in the Boys' Home for two years, has also resigned; the Managers desire to express their thanks at this time for his kind services. Mr. Samuel N. Brown, for fifteen years an Auditor of the Society, has felt it necessary to bring his long services to a close. Miss A. P. Smith, for the past year the teacher at the Rutland Street Home, has also resigned.

Thanks are due, at this time, to the various newspapers which have generously given the use of their columns for the good of this Society, and to all friends whose donations, helpful thoughts, or encouraging words have contributed to make this a successful year.

As the successful close of one year is generally synonymous with the hopeful opening of the next, and is so in this particular case, the Managers desire to follow their expression of thanks with the earnest request that the friends of the past will continue their helpful interest in the new year, and that new friends will join them, all working together to increase the strength and usefulness of these two Homes.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

HOME FOR GIRLS, 48 RUTLAND STREET.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR NOV. 1, 1889, TO NOV. 1, 1890.	
Balance Nov. 1, 1889	53
Board of Children	10
INCOME FROM INVESTED FUNDS 1,298	.00
Donations:—	
Missionary children in the Baptist Mission	
Home \$2 00	
A Friend 5 00	
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey 5 00	
A Friend	
Mr. John L. Barry 10 00	
Miss M. L. Clark 5 00	
Massachusetts Charitable Fire Society 100 00	
A Friend, through Mrs. H. B 50 00	
Wm. Durant 5 00	
C. H. Knox & Co	10
FLOWERS FOR THE MAY DAY FESTIVAL:—	
Mr. Benj. S. Pray.	
Mrs. E. J. Andrews.	
Miss Florence Brown.	
Contributions: —	
Old South Church, annual \$265 37	
Shawmut Congregational Church, annual . 162 11	
Sabbath School, First Congregational Church,	
Norwood, Mass	
Balance Festival, 1889	
1,705	19
Amount carried forward \$5,053	83

Amount brought forward		\$5,053 83
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS	•	877 00
Mr. Henry F. Spencer, executor of the will		
of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of		
which to be used yearly for buying Christ-		
mas presents for the Home \$100	2 00	
Through Mrs. J. S. Hall under the will of Mr.		
M. C. Ferris, for the general purposes at		
	00	
Messrs. C. C. Coffin and A. S. Lovett, exec-		
utors of the will of Justin S. Ambrose, in		
full for specified amount bequeathed . 5,000	00	
LIFE MEMBERSHIPS:—		5,600 00
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS: —		
Taxes on bank stock refunded		92 02
Investments		1,972 50
Geo. Henry Quincy, annual subscription	٠	100 00
Special Contributions for a Piano: —		
Mr. Chester W. Kingsley \$100	00	
Through Mrs. R. K. Potter 100	00	
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Loan Atlantic Bank	•	1,484 25
		\$15,479 60
DISBURSEMENTS.		#-J,47
CURRENT EXPENSES		\$6,986 64
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Thanksgiving dinners provided by Mr. Geo. O. H	lov-	2"
ey's fund	•	35 00
T	•	584 05 4,928 63
INSURANCE	•	51 75
Printing	•	147 75
PIANO	•	300 00
FUEL		446 79
Atlantic National Bank, loan paid	·	1,496 00
Amount carried forward	•	\$14,976 61
* Received at the May Day Festival.		

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Sundry bills unpaid	and du	e, no	ot incl	uded	in	this			
account							\$394	88	
Net cash balance.							108	ΙI	
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									\$15,479 60
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I have examined the foregoing account and find it correct with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of five hundred and two and ninety-nine one-hundredths dollars (\$502.99), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank. (Signed) SAMUEL N. BROWN,

Auditor.

115 51

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\$2,363 98

HOME FOR BOYS, DEDHAM, MASS. RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR NOV. 1, 1889, TO NOV. 1, 1890.

BOARD OF CHILDREN . \$538 25 INCOME FROM INVESTED FUNDS 1,523 99 Donations: -Through Mrs. O. A. P.: -O. W. Grover . \$10 00 Henry L. Pierce . 100 00 110 00 Through Miss Brown: -Friends in Mt. Vernon Church . \$25 00 Mr. Flint . . 5 00 Mrs. E. R. Kendall 10 00 Through Mr. Quincy: -Clarendon Street Mission . 5 00 First Congregational Sabbath School, Dedham . . . 25 29 Nucleus for next summer: -Alex. Stowell . \$25 00 Friend. 20 00 Cash . 22

Cash refunded through Mr. J. Albree . . .

Amount carried forward

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Amount broug	ht for	rwar	d			•	•	•	\$2,363	98
Received through I	Ar. Ç	uinc	y:-							
Mrs. Burgess							\$2	00		
Mrs. C. F. Kimba							2	00		
Cyrus A. Page							5	00		
Mrs. J. A. L.							10			
Alice A. Smith							2	00		
Clothing .						•		00		
Helen A. Clark								00		
G. G. Quincy								00		
C. F. Quincy				·			_	00		
Erastas Willard					•	·		00		
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Mrs. Hattie Noy		•	•	•	•	٠	_	00		
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Mr. George Henry					•	•	\$100			
Mrs. Geo. Henry			•	•	•	•	100			
T. E. Bowman & (•	٠	•	•	100			
Mrs. M. B. Mason			•	•	•	•	100			
Mr. S. D. Warren			•	•	•	•	100			
Mr. Elijah A. Mors			٠.		٠.		200	00		
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Martin L. Cate					\$10	00				
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Geo. G. Quincy	•	•	•	•		00				
David W. Noyes	•	•	•	•		00				
Robert Barnet	•	•	•	٠	10	00				
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C. W. Trainer					IO	00			
B. P. Cheney, Jr.					10	00			
Walter H. Collins					5	00			
W. B. Everett	•	•	•	•	IO	00			
Daniel S. Ford							155		
Daniel S. Ford	•	٠	•	•	•	•	100		1,129 18
SALE OF GRASS .									35 00
INSURANCE PREMIUM	Ref	UND	ED						33 78
									\$4,359 07
DISBURSEMENTS.									
CURRENT EXPENSES			•					٠.	\$3,073 16
REPAIRS									84 63
Fuel									426 91
INSURANCE									60 00
Sundry bills paid .									211 05
Sundry bills unpaid and due not included in this									
account							\$373	37	
Net cash balance .							129	95	
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INVESTMENTS. Donations for Boys' Home:—									
The B. F. Sturtevant and E. S. Converse Building Fund								ing	MC - C
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							WM.	Q.	WALES.

Boston, Nov. 1, 1890.

I have examined the foregoing account and find it correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance as stated of five hundred and three and thirty-two one-hundredths dollars (\$503.32), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

(Signed) SAMUEL N. BROWN, Auditor.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year	
1853	\$2,000 00
Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860	5,500 00
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861	1,000 00
——, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital	17 1
fund of said institution for investment and income in support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872	V 000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society	1,000 00
forever," received May 16, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9, 1877	IOO 00;
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanks-	100 00
giving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878	500 00
From the estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879.	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	300 00
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25,	
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	5,000 00.
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof	
to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as	
the Longwood Minstrel Fund and to be added to the Perma-	
nent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be	
used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888 From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on inter-	5,000 00
est, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Chil-	
dren's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31, 1889 From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be	500 00
used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the children .	100 00
Received Dec. 5, 1889	\$34,370 00

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Mrs. C. C. Richmond		\$2 00	Mr. Albert S. Pratt			\$5 00	
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Miss Harriet White		I 00	Mr. S. C. Houghton .	5 00
Mrs. J. N. Denison		5 00	Miss Lizzie Houghton .	2 00
Miss Grace White		I 00	Mrs. Thomas H. Russell	2 00
Mrs. Edw. Kelly .		2 00	Mrs. Jonathan White .	2 00
Mrs. Charles Rollins		2 00	Miss Abbie Child	1 50
Mrs. G. W. Bullard		I 00	Miss Myra Child	I 50
Mrs. N. Brimbecom		I 00	Miss Alice Kendall .	I 00
Mrs. Joel Goldthwait		2 00	Mrs. G. F. Bouve	2 00
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Mr. W. L. Tower.		5 00	Mrs. G. D. Milne	2 00
Mrs. W. O. Grover		10 00	Miss Studley	2 00
Mr. W. O. Grover		10 00	Miss L. W. Bliss	2 00

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Miss Fannie D. Morse		2 00	Mrs. S. E. Mason	2 00
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Mrs. Charles Carruth		2 00	Mrs. M. W. Richardson	2 00
Mrs. Hamilton A. Hill		2 00	Mrs. Ambrose Eastman	2 00
Miss Annie C. Hill		I 00	Mrs. Amos Barnes .	2 00
Mrs. R. H. Stearns		5 00	Mr. F. D. Allen	5 00
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Mrs. C. B. Wilson.		2 00	Miss Lidda Boyd	2 00
Mrs. Alpheus Hardy		2 00	Miss Harriet McCarter .	I 00
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Miss Louisa Hill .		2 00	Mrs. Frank W. Hunt .	2 00
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Mrs. H. D. Hvde .		2 00		

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Mrs. Thomas White		2 00	Mrs. Luther M. Merril	1.	2 00
Miss Louisa J. Brown		2 00	Mrs. R. K. Atwood		2 00
Mrs. J. V. Spaulding		2 00	Mrs. J. L. Martin.		2 00
Mrs. J. B. Potter .		2 00	Mrs. Nelson Curtis		2 00
Mr. Albert Gay .		5 00	Miss Susie E. White		2 00

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Miss Hattie R. Beal		2 00	Mrs. A. J. Gordon .		2 00
Miss Edith L. Beal		2 00	Mr. C. H. Quincy .		5 00
Miss Clara G. Beal		2 00	Mr. C. F. Quincy .		5 00
Mrs. S. P. Hibbard		2 00	Mrs. C. F. Quincy .		2 00
A Friend		2 00	Mr. G. G. Quincy .		5 00
Mrs. Charles O. Gage		2 00	Mrs. G. G. Quincy.		2 00
Mrs. G. H. Quincy		2 00	Mr. S. P. Hibbard.		5 00
Mrs. C. D. Gould .		2 00	Mrs. Joseph Kendall		2 00
Mrs. J. C. Stevens .		2 00	Mr. Matthew Bolles		5 00
Mrs. Francis Jones		2 00	Mrs. C. M. Winch.		2 00
Mrs. G. S. Dexter .		5 00	Mrs. J. E. Daniels.		2 00
Mrs. L. E. Crockett		2 00	Mrs. S. Harvey Loring		2 00

WARREN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. F. B. ROGERS, Collector.

Mrs. Joseph Sawyer		\$2 00	Miss Eliza D. Smith		\$2 00
Mrs. F. B. Rogers .		2 00	Mrs. E. W. White .		2 00
Mrs. C. E. Wiggin		2 00	Mr. O. M. Wentworth		2 00
Mrs. F. W. Freeborn		2 00	Mrs. Jonathan Parker		2 00
Mrs. A. W. Sawyer		2 00	Mrs. C. P. Hall .		2.00
Miss M. F. Cogswell		2 00			

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. G. P. BINGHAM, Collector.

Mrs. S. W. Luce .		\$2 00	Miss Hattie Adams .		. \$	2 00
Mrs. L. H. Adams		2 00	Miss Henrietta Capen .			2 00
Mrs. J. W. Converse		5 00	Mrs. F. W. Smith			2 00
Mrs. I. W. Chick .		2 00	Mrs. F. S. Hooper .			2 00
Mrs. William Beal		2 00	Mrs. E. D. Hauthaway .		•	2 00
Mrs. B. W. Dunklee		2 00	Mr. A. S. Woodwozth .			5 00
Mrs. L. M. Standish		2 00	Mr. William Fosdick .			5 00
Mrs. A. S. Woodworth		2 00	Mrs. Walter B. Adams .			2 00
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Mrs. Z. C. Goodwin		2 00	Mrs. E. C. Fitz			2 00
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Miss S. M. Stetson		2 00	Mrs. E. A. Capen			2 00
Miss A. B. Woodward		2 00				

TRINITY CHURCH.

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Miss Kate Robinson .	\$2 00	Mrs. H. S. Wade	\$3 00
Miss Helen M. Robinson	2 00	Mrs. J. W. Dunklee .	2 00
Mrs. S. N. Brown	2 00	Mrs. William Laurie .	2 00
Mrs. G. G. Crocker .	2 00	Mrs. Margaret Fabens .	2 00
Mrs. Alexander Strong.	2 00	Mrs. R. T. Paine, Jr.	10 00
Mrs. E. W. Morton .	2 00	Mrs. Edw. Potter	2 00
Mrs. Charles W. Galloupe	2 00	Miss L. D. Paddock .	2 00
Mrs. Richard S. Fay .	2 00	Mrs. H. C. Suow	2 00
Mrs. Robert Codman .	2 00	Miss Miriam S. Shattuck	2 00
Mrs. Simon Davis	2 00	Miss A. C. Howes	5 00
Miss M. J. Allen	2 00		

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Mrs. Henry Whittemore	\$2 00	Mrs. Frank W. Andrews	\$2 00
Mrs. B. S. Pray	2 00	Mrs. John Hogg	2 00
Master J. S. Pray	I 00	Mrs. A. G. Weeks	2 00
Mrs. F. L. Fay	2 00		

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Mrs. W. M. Conant Mrs. Peter Harvey Miss A. C. Everett Mrs. D. P. Kimball	· · ·		\$2 00 2 00 2 00 5 00		Mrs. C Mrs. M Mrs. V	I. Fie V. S. I	ld Fo Hills	wler			\$2 2 2	
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Mrs. C. U. Cotting.		,		•							\$2	00
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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute lifemembership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to admit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual

meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee, and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.

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J. CONVERSE GRAY . NATHANIEL S. HOTCHKI	ee .	•	•	•	23 Court Street. 108 Summer Street.
MALITANIEL S. HOICHKI	00 .		•	•	100 Summer Street.

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June. Mrs. FOWLER, Miss WALES.
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Aug. Mrs. LANE, Mrs. POTTER.
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Mrs. STOWELL, Mrs. PROCTOR.
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^{*}All admissions to either Home are made by this Committee, which meets every Monday morning at 48 Rutland Street, at 10,30.

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REV. F. B. ALLEN.

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ENTERED INTO REST.

The death of our dear friend and vice-president, Mrs. Francis Jones, has filled our hearts with deep sorrow; sorrow for our great bereavement, yet joy in the thought that her great physical sufferings are ended and that she is now in the presence of the King, where pain is forever excluded.

We shall never again see her pleasant face at our meetings, but we shall cherish the memory of her faithful service, her wisdom and loving, cheerful spirit in our work, for more than twenty-five years.

Any story of suffering or need concerning children, or widows with dependent children, was heard by her with quick sympathy, and her voice was one of the first heard to propose relief; if the story was of oppression or wrong, to such her indignation was strong and outspoken. She appreciated keenly anything done to please children, and gladly helped in such efforts; one of her sweetest ministries in this direction occurred on the Thanksgiving succeeding the death of her husband, and only three months after that event; in her loneliness, she invited three little girls from the Home to dine with her, and devoted the day to their entertainment.

A. C. S.

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them."

REPORT.

As we look back through the twelve months, just past, to see what their contribution is to the Society's history, we find much reason for satisfaction and can go forward hopefully into the fifty-ninth year of this work. No illness of any importance has caused uneasiness in either Home; the children, under the care of most efficient and devoted matrons, have been, in general, well and happy, and numerous friends have tried by their interest and gifts to make their development so general that they may be able to take their places in the world, when the time comes, and carry on its work as more favored children are trained to do, in their own homes.

The Society has under its care one hundred children; sixty girls, forty boys. The number at present in each Home and the changes during the year are as follows:—

RUTLAND STREET HOME.

Whole number, Nov. 1, 1891 60 girls. 10 boys.	•	٠	:							70
Admitted during the year . 29 girls. 9 boys.		•		•	٠					38
Dismissed during the year . 22 girls. 6 boys.	٠				•					28
Readmitted during the year. I girl. I boy.	•		٠		٠		•	•	٠	2
BOYS'	но	ME	АТ	DED	HAN	νI.				
Whole number, Nov. 1, 1891										30
Admitted during the year .										8
Dismissed during the year .										8
Readmitted during the year .										3
Surrendered to the Society .										3

Most of the children dismissed have returned to their parents. Two boys have been dismissed from the Rutland Street Home to the Home at Dedham, as they had reached the limit of age allowed at the former Home, and two other boys were dismissed from the Boys' Home to friends in Maine and Martha's Vineyard, respectively.

The Rutland Street Home rejoices this year in a new school-room for the kindergarten department. This room, opening by folding doors into the large school-room, is bright and cheerful, and relieves the main room which had become crowded with the two departments. Like the rest of the house, this new room has been supplied with apparatus for hot-water heating, this summer.

Although the boys of the other Home have been away from the house during school hours, as all attend the public school of the town, they have had some regular training in their gymnasium since the middle of March, when this department was opened. A room in the "Annex" was fitted up for their use with a most generous gift of apparatus from Mr. Rufus F. Greeley; in connection with this arrangement, the Society fitted up a dressing-room and supplied two shower-baths in adjoining rooms, and a friend, whose gifts are many and frequent, gave the twenty-nine boys, then in the Home, their gymnasium suits. A young man, who had taken a systematic course of physical training and was employed for a few months. as assistant superintendent, gave the boys this regular training. At one time, in the winter, there was so much spare time between the two daily sessions of school that those in charge of the boys used the time to train them in the useful arts of waiting on table and washing and wiping their own dishes.

One boy received a diploma from the grammar school last June, and has entered the Dedham High School this fall, to the great satisfaction of his friends. He has not only the honor of being the first boy from the Home to enter this school, but also that of being the youngest boy ever admitted to it.

Among the friends who have visited the Homes for the purpose of interesting or instructing the children, may be mentioned Rev. G. W. Hinckley, who told the boys, last February, about his farm in Maine where some of their number went to live, two or three years ago; Rev. C. W. Wilder, who gave the boys a talk on minerals early in the summer, and added a number of specimens to the collection which they had begun; Rev. J. B. Seabury, who has met the boys once a month to talk to them on such subjects as "Manners," "The Little Things of Life," "Moments of Time, and their Importance"; and Deacon Wilkins, who has continued his regular Bible talks with the children of the city Home, once a week, through the year.

Among other means of educating the children are the gifts of books, magazines, and papers, received throughout the year; the visit, through the kindness of friends, of fifteen children from the Rutland Street Home, and all the boys of the other Home, to the Mechanics Fair last fall; also the singing lessons received by one of our boys from a gentleman living in Jamaica Plain.

The special pleasures of the year are the delightful evenings spent at the homes of two of the managers by some of the older girls; the Thanksgiving Day enjoyed by three girls at the home of Mrs. Francis Jones; the Christmas tree at the two Homes; and the afternoon of Christmas Day at Mrs. C. B. Kendall's house, where the boys from Dedham found a tree with a gift for every one and a pleasant time, awaiting them.

Among the many donations of the year, the boys have received a printing-press and a camera, two bicycles and a type-writer, and a gift of one hundred dollars has been given to be used in improving the workshop in which the boys have done

some work; Mr. J. S. Spaulding has furnished this Home for the past two years with all the syrup and granulated sugar needed, and another friend has recently given it ten barrels of flour. In the spring, a boat was given by this same friend; from it much pleasure was anticipated, but since those owning landings on the Charles River could find no place for it, and the pond, on which it was finally launched, was considered unsafe for the boys to row on, their pleasure in this direction proved only a pleasure of the imagination. A circle of King's Daughters has clothed one girl most bountifully this year, as well as last, at the Rutland Street Home, and a member of this circle has this year provided the clothing for another girl. In June, a lady, now living in New York, provided ice-cream, strawberries and cake for this latter Home, on the occasion of her son's marriage. The two Homes have sent gifts to each other, that in town giving clothing, the other, fruit, vegetables, and some picture books; several boys have sent in special gifts from their own gardens.

All the boys and twelve girls went again this year with Mrs. Fowler to the Soldiers' Home at Chelsea, where they gave exercises and songs as before. On their way from Dedham to Chelsea the boys found last year's experience repeating itself, for Mr. Millis kindly gave them a lunch at the Oak Grove restaurant on Washington Street, and Mr. Talbot made every boy happy by giving him a new suit of clothes.

This year, the May Day Festival took place at the Rutland Street Home, no illness like that of the past two years preventing this arrangement. To relieve the managers of the numerous cares which a fair involves, it was decided to have only a café and a candy table, friends being asked to contribute to them, or to give donations of money, or of articles of use in either Home. The house was open to friends through the day and evening, and the older children entertained them, at frequent intervals, with the May-pole dance, songs, and

recitations, all showing their excellent training; while the boys from Dedham, who were present, showed the benefit they had received from their physical training by the exercises they gave. The babies in their nursery enjoyed the attentions of many friends; in fact, the whole day passed off pleasantly, even to the enforced picnic lunch and supper which most of the children took in the large basement play-room, their own dining-room being used for the café.

As the spring opened, the boys were trained to work on the lawns and in the garden. Every boy had a little piece of ground given him; the older ones devoted their gardens to vegetables and the younger boys to flowers; a few fowls and some pigs were given to the Home, and certain boys were appointed to take the care of them. All these enterprises have been successful, consequently the workers must have learned much.

On the Fourth of July, the boys saw the sports and races given under the auspices of the Dedham Club. They had races in the afternoon at the Home, receiving as prizes fireworks, for which several donations of money had been received; in the evening, at the invitation of one of the managers, they witnessed a neighborhood display of fireworks.

During the summer, some children from the Homes visited friends; the babies were at the Home at Dedham; and the boys who were at this Home worked in the large garden and in their individual ones. Mr. Waldron arranged a day at Franklin Park for the city children, every child receiving a box of candy on that occasion; he also gave the greater number of the same children a trip to Nantasket Beach, and provided this Home, from the "Fresh Air Fund," with three hundred rides in the horse cars. For the boys, Mr. H. B. Endicott, of Dedham, continued his kindness of the past three years, sending all of them to Nantasket Beach for the day. The Institute Sea-Shore Home at Beachmont enter-

tained, at the invitation of Rev. M. R. Denning, six boys for three days in August, four girls for a week early in September; and twenty-seven other children, all from the city Home, a little later in the month; the last delegation of children being under the care of a lady who is often with them. The drives and bathing were delightful to the children, and their stay at Beachmont is a very pleasant memory.

This has been in many respects a very bright year, but it has been greatly saddened by the death of Mrs. Francis Jones, for many years a most loving and faithful worker as manager, and later as vice-president; the memory of her sympathy and most efficient service will long be remembered by her associates in this work.

We deeply regret that we must record the resignations of Mrs. S. T. Snow, Mr. George Henry Quincy, and Mrs. Arthur Sawyer. Mrs. Snow has been a valued worker for more than twenty-five years, serving as secretary, manager, and for the last few years as vice-president, and has been always ready to further the interests of the Society by wise counsel or most efficient and unostentatious service. Mr. Quincy, whose interest in and work for the Society as a member of the Board of Advisers, have been most constant, indefatigable, and valuable, has been obliged to resign because of poor health. He is especially identified with the successful effort to secure and carry on the Boys' Home at Dedham, to which work he has given his whole heart and strength. Mrs. Sawyer, after serving on the Board of Managers for several years, has also resigned on account of poor health.

The Managers desire to express at this time their warm appreciation of the kind services of Dr. Holyoke and Drs. F. L. and E. E. Jack to the children of the city Home, also of the services of Miss Woodward who, as dentist, has cared for the same children during the summer. To Drs. Babcock and Chase, of Dedham, and to Dr. Ware, who kindly took

Dr. Babcock's place on one occasion, their hearty thanks are likewise due, as well as to the newspapers which have generously and often given the use of their columns for the benefit of these Homes.

All friends who have helped in any way to carry on, or to widen and strengthen this work are assured of the gratitude and appreciation of the Managers, who ask that all the interest and help of the past may go with them into the coming year; and as their cares and responsibilities become more complex. as they must while this work continues to grow, that new helpers may come forward to work with those long interested in the two Homes. Every year presents the same general needs and has also its own special needs; the same general donations will be just as acceptable as they were last year. Thanksgiving and Christmas, very near us now, make their special appeals, and it is hoped that the liberal Christmas donations of money received last year will be repeated for the coming holiday. A special need for this year is that of a well-equipped industrial department for the Boys' Home, for which a donation, already alluded to, has been received; this department under wise management would be of great value to the boys.

In closing, the Managers extend a cordial and urgent invitation to old friends and new to visit the two Homes and learn by personal acquaintance with them their present condition, as well as their present and future needs.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

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	Mrs. J. H. Merideth							00				
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	Brown, Durell & Co.							00				
	Mrs. Chas. Fry .						_	00				
	Mrs. M. D. Spaulding		•	•		•	_	00				
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Mrs. J. H. Gray 5 00	
N. S. Hotchkiss 5 00	
A. H. Rhoades 5 00	
C. W. Kinsley 5 00	
Mr. Glover 5 00	
A Friend	
Mr. Estabrook 5 00	
Miss M. C. Burgess 5 00	
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Mrs. D. P. Kimball	25 00
Mrs. Lucy B. Read	25 00
Mrs. Sarah E. Read	25 00
Henry B. Endicott, excursion to Nantasket for boys .	30 00
Edw. A. Strong	5 00
	5 00
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Mrs. E. J. Baker \$10 00	
Miss E. C. Jewett 25 00	
Quincy Club, sale Autograph Poem of Holmes 2 00	
Mrs. Burgess, Thanksgiving 2 00	
Miss F. A. Boyd 50 00	
Mrs. E. J. W. Baker 100 00	
R. C. McQuillan 7 50	
F. B 2 00	
Thomas Mack 50 00	
Mrs. S. P. Worth, for support Eddie Groves, 25 00	
One quarter Mr. Howard's salary from G. H. Q. 40 00	
Received through Mr. Geo. H. Quincy .	313 50
Congregational Sunday School, in Dedham	25 00
Geo. H. Quincy, 10 bbls. flour	63 00
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John Goldthwait	40 00
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Special contributions, G. H. Q	66 79
Mr. Oliver Ames	250 00
	1,114 39
Sale of grass	30 00
Amount carried forward	\$7,390 86

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Annual Subscriptions:-	_								
Mrs. M. B. Hunnewell							\$20 00		
Mr. Geo. S. Harwood .							100 00		
Col. Fletcher, Webster	Camp 4	7 .					100 00		
Mrs. Geo. Henry Quinc							100 00		
Mrs. B. F. Sturtevant							100 00		
Mr. Geo. Henry Quincy	7.						100 00		
Mr. D. S. Ford .							100 00		
T. E. Bowman & Co							100 00		
Mr. C. W. Kinsley							100 00		
Mr. E. N. Foss .							100 00		
Mr. Elijah A. Morse							100 00		
Mr. S. D. Warren							100 00		
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Mr. David W. Noyes							10 00		
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Mr. W. B. Everett							10 00		
Mr. Chas. F. Quincy							10 00		
Mr. J. H. Hecht .							25 00		
Mr. E. Willard .							10 00		
Mr. Geo. G. Quincy		•	•	•			10 00		
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DONATIONS FOR GIRLS' H	ОМЕ:-								
A friend							\$1 00		
Mrs. H. A. Bigelow							2 00		
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A friend							5 00		
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey							5 00		
Mr. John L. Barry							10 00		
C. W. Stetson .							10 00		
H D. Yerxa							5 00		
Mrs. S. F. Kelly .							5 00		
Massachusetts Charitab	ole Fire S	Socie	ty				100 00		
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Mrs. S. C. Winslow				\$25	00					
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Mr. S. C. Wilkins .				25						
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New Heating Apparatus \$533 50	
Addition to annex	
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Ordinary repairs 278 92	
2,701 30	
Investments 1,941 94	
Insurance	
Printing	
Fuel	46
Amount paid out, Boys' Home:-	
Current expenses	
Repairs	
Excursion to Nantasket 30 00	
5,239	24
Total Expenditures \$17,431	70
Balance carried to new account, Nov. 1, 1891 877	38
\$18,309	08

Boston, Oct. 31, 1891.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' and Boys' Home, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance as stated of \$877.38, which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

(Signed) J. V. SPAULDING, S. SIILLMAN BLANCHARD, Auditors,

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year	
1853	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizebeth Gurney, "to be known as the	
Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received	
—, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital	
fund of said institution for investment and income in support	
thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on interest,	
and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society	
forever," received May 16, 1876	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanks-	
giving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879.	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25,	
1884	5,000 00
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof	
to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an	5,000 00
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as	
the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the Perma-	
nent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be	
used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888 .	5,000 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on inter-	5,000 00
est, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Chil-	
dren's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31, 1889	500,00
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be	3. 4.
used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the children .	100 00
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Received Dec. 5, 1889	\$34,370 00

ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS FOR 1891.

SHAWMUT CHURCH.

MISS ISABELLA M. HURLBERT, Collector.

Mrs. C. C. Richmond		\$2 (00	Mr. Franklin Crosby.			\$3	00
Mrs. E. B. Webb		2 (00	Mr. A. G. Perkins			3	00
Mrs. F. B. Ingraham		2 (00	Rice, Kendall & Co.			5	00
Mrs. G. W. Merritt		2 (00	Mr. C. A. Putnam			5	00
Mrs. Henry Frost .		2 (00	Mr. W. G. Benedict			5	00
Mrs. S. T. Snow .		2 (00	Mrs. I. D. Blodgett			2	00
Mrs. L. A. Leland		2 (00	Messrs. W. H. & S. L. H	Emery	7,	5	00
Mrs. W. E. Hodgkins		2 (00	Mr. C. B. Botsford			3	00
Mrs. Franklin Crosby		2 (00	Mrs. Frank Wood			2	00
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	Kingsley, C. W 5 00
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Converse, J. W 5 00	Smith, Hogg & Gardner . 2 00
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Glover, Mrs 1 00	
Goodwin, Mrs. Z. C 5 00	For Frosted Cakes for Children.
Hall, Mrs. M. L 5 00	
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Hitchings, Mrs. Henry
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Potter, Mrs. R. K.
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Quincy, G. H.
Rutland St. Home.
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Burgess, Miss C.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
Islington Cong. Church.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Moody, Chas. E. & Co.

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Humphrey, Miss
Lane, J. A.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
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		Gray, J. C., Esq 1 00
For the Boys.	2.00	For Workshop.
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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute lifemembership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collector, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate

of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears in the opinion of the Visiting Committee, and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.

ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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^{*} All admissions to either Home are made by this Committee, which meets every Monday morning at 48 Rutland Street, at 10.30.

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REPORT.

The year just ended has been a satisfactory and uneventful one at our two Homes; so uneventful, in fact, that there is little of special interest for our annual report. Good health has been and continues to be the rule in both Homes.

The Rutland Street Home contains at present sixty children, fifty-three girls and seven boys; fourteen children, twelve girls and two boys, have been admitted, one girl and one boy readmitted; while twenty-five children, nineteen girls and six boys, have been dismissed. Three of these boys have been dismissed to the Boys' Home, the other children to parents and friends. No children have been surrendered to the Society in either Home. One girl from the Rutland Street Home, who had been living in a family as one of its members, for several years, was indentured to this family during the past year. Two girls have reached the limit of age, one of whom has been dismissed and is learning the dressmakers' trade, the other, learning the same trade, remains at the Home for a time, and is also doing some work there.

The May Day Festival, held at the Rutland Street Home was a success; the sale of fancy articles, omitted last year, was resumed and the children's exercises, at regular intervals, were, as usual, a well patronized part of the programme.

During the summer, many of the children have been away for short visits with their friends, or relatives, returning, if they wished to remain in the Home, in time for the opening of its school.

Among the donations received, are vegetables and fruit from the Boys' Home, gifts from Rev. Dr. Waldron and Mr. S. C. Wilkins, at Thanksgiving time, also Christmas and Easter cards and papers from Dr. Waldron, and a baby house from a young lady friend. A lady in New York, long interested in this Home, gave the children ice-cream and cake for the Fourth of July. In April, the Boston Young Men's Christian Union contributed five tickets for carriage rides; later, Mr. Lewis, of the Board of Aldermen, donated one hundred tickets for car rides, and, in August, Rev. Dr. Waldron contributed forty tickets to Nahant, also numerous car tickets. In June, twenty-five happy children spent a delightful week at Beachmont, at the invitation of the Rev. M. R. Deming, who gave them the same pleasure last year. He also invited the boys at Dedham, but as their school year had not ended, they were obliged to forego this pleasure.

Mr. S. C. Wilkins has continued his Bible talks with the children every week throughout the year, and to him our thanks are due for this beautiful and long-continued service.

The Boys' Home at Dedham contains at present twenty-nine boys; during the year four have been admitted and seven dismissed. Of those dismissed three were graduated this summer from the grammar schools, two of the three have gone into stores in Boston and board in town, while the third is engaged for a year to work on a farm in this State. Of the other boys dismissed one has gone to his sister's home, another, who has been employed for some time in a store in town, has come into the city to board; the remaining two have found homes, for the present, in New Hampshire and Vermont respectively.

Some of the donations received at this Home are clothing from the Rutland Street Home, an odd scrap-book from the Christian Endeavor Society of the first Congregational Church in Derry, New Hampshire, tickets to an exhibition of the Boston Art Club from members of the Society, an outfit of Homeopathic remedies with book, from Mr. J. W. Clapp, and hospital supplies from Mr. George C. Goodwin; the Window Garden Society through Mrs. Wolcott has sent plants, and Rev. Dr. Waldron has given Christmas and Easter cards and papers. Mr. Talbot has repeated his gift of last year in a suit of new clothes for every boy. On July 4,

Mrs. Cummings gave the boys ice-cream, and Mr. Quincy delighted their hearts by a gift of fireworks.

The following notice in the Dedham Transcript, this year, explains itself:—

"As a result of the recent entertainment given in Canton by Col. Fletcher Webster Camp 47, S. of V., \$350 was cleared, which sum will be donated to the Boys' Home on East Street, this town, for the support of a son of a deceased veteran."

Mrs. E. B. Kendall again entertained the boys, one afternoon in the Christmas holidays, at her home.

Some of the boys took part in the exercises at the May Day Festival; they were entertained by two of the ladies present, and carried home, to those who did not come, a gift from the candy table. The boys have also taken part in several Sunday-school or other entertainments and have done credit to the excellent training given them.

Each home has received gifts of numerous papers and magazines, always very welcome. At present there is need of more books at the Boys' Home, those already there having been read several times.

Almost all the boys have visited friends for a short time during the summer and have returned from these visits well and happy. On the thirtieth of August, the whole family enjoyed a day at Nantasket, as they have for several summers, through the kindness of Mr. H. B. Endicott of Dedham; the boys fished from the high rocks and, aside from the pleasure obtained, were so successful that they carried home fish enough for the next day's dinner.

We gratefully acknowledge the kindness of the Rev. J. B. Seabury of Dedham, who has given at this Home, once a month, a talk on temperance, to which the boys have looked forward with interest; likewise the kindness of the Rev. Mr. Hinckley of Good Will Farm, Maine, in giving the boys an illustrated lecture during his short stay at the Home. We are also indebted to Rev. J. B. Mower, of Skowhegan, Maine, for the same kindness, and to Mr. Taft and the superintendent

of the Congregational Sabbath school of Dedham, to Rev. Dr. Starr, Mr. Joyce, and Mr. Burdette, also of Dedham, and Mr. Samuel Russell of Boston, for their talks to the boys.

Although there has been very little illness at either home, yet, whenever their services have been needed, Dr. Holyoke and Dr. Babcock have cheerfully responded, and Doctors F. L. and E. E. Jack have kindly served in their special departments. Miss Woodward has also very generously given her services as dentist to the Rutland Street Home. To all of these friends we extend our most hearty thanks.

In December, last, Mrs. Benedict who has served faithfully and efficiently as matron of the Boys' Home from its opening in June, 1886, resigned, as she thought the best interests of this Home could be gained if a man and his wife were placed in charge of it. Accordingly, Mr. and Mrs. Ham, of Maine, who had for some time known of and been interested in this Home, were invited to become its superintendents. They accepted the invitation and began their service in January, Mrs. Benedict remaining through the month to make the change of administration as smooth as possible for all concerned. Mrs. Benedict's deep and motherly interest in the boys, placed in her care, is warmly appreciated, and our best wishes follow her in whatever she undertakes in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Ham have wisely carried on the work so faithfully begun. They find that the boys are capable and obedient and that they rank somewhat above the average pupils in the public schools.

In April, the boys under Mr. Ham's direction and with his assistance, prepared the garden for summer, and with very little outlay of money, excellent results have been obtained, a proof of careful and faithful work on the boys' part.

Extensive repairs at the two homes have not been necessary this year. Probably before this time, the buildings at Dedham will have been painted, and a new furnace will add to the comfort of the house.

We have accepted with regret the resignations of Mrs. W. W. Whitcomb, who has served most efficiently for twelve

years as a manager; of Miss E. A. Wales, for eight years an able assistant treasurer; of Mrs. G. E. Brown, for two years a manager, and of Mr. W. W. Whitcomb, who has manifested his interest in our work by serving for eleven years as an adviser. Miss Wales, we are happy to say, will continue her work for these homes as a member of the Board of Managers.

It is perfectly safe to say that the needs of the two homes for the ensuing year will be much like those of the past, and that all gifts from friends will be gratefully received. Just now, there is need of larger donations of clothing at the Rutland Street Home, as gifts of this nature have not been as large, the last two years, as heretofore; cotton cloth for sheets and pillow cases is also much needed.

In closing, we desire to thank all friends, including the press of Boston and Dedham, for any and all services rendered the two homes, for all gifts received, and all interest felt and expressed, asking that we may be helped in the same way during the coming year.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

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WM. Q. WALES, TREAS., in	n acct.	with	B	osto	N C	CHILI	OREN ⁵	s F	RIEND	Socie	Y:
	GI	RLS	, F	HOMI	E.						
Received:										0	
Board of Children .										\$2,198	96
Income from Invested I	Funds									2,503	00
Donations:											
Mrs. W. B. Balch								\$1	00		
Mrs. Geo. W. Whittem	ore .							25	00		
Mr. John E. Barry								10	00		
Mrs. Eldridge Torrey								10	00		
Mrs. Charles Berkeley J	ohnson							2	00		
Mr. Amos Tapley								5	00		
Mrs. Alexander Stowell								11	00		
Miss Rosa Allen .								2	00		
Old South Church, 9th	Annual							243	31		
Shawmut Congregation:	al Chur	ch.						155	89		
Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelov	w (dona	tion	for	the	two	o ho	mes				
to be called the "H								200	00		
Mass. Charitable Fire S								100	00		
										765	20
Annual Subscriptions.								•	•	768	50
Refund Bank Tax .										85	59
Atlantic National Bank										1,000	00
Refund Interest, bank 1	note and	ticip	ated	i.						10	00
Thomas Weston, Inter-	est on 4	sh	are	of \$4	,00	o du	e froi	n C.	W.		
Creach, for one yea	ar, at 4	%								38	00
Atlantic National Bank	, Loan									800	00
Proceeds May Day Sale:											
	Lifi	E M	EMB	ERSH	IPS.						
Mr. E. S. Converse	•	\$25	00								
Mrs. E. S. Converse	•	25	00								
Mr. Joshua Lincoln		25	00								
Mrs. Joshua Lincoln	•	25	00								
Mrs. Lebbeus Stetson		25	00								
Miss Susan Stetson		25	00								
Mr. Geo. A. Farlow		25	00								
Miss Clara A. Perkins		25	00								
Mr. Alexander Stowell		25	00								
Mr. Frank R. Jones		25	00								
Miss Katie M. Mason		25	00								
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Sale				1,0	78	30					
				\$1,35	5.3	30					
Less expense .				,5,	5						
•						_	\$1,	348	10		

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egacies: C. C. Coffin and A. S. Lovett, executors of will of J. S. Ambrose,					
on acct. of final legacy as resid- uary legatee	\$2,000	00			
will of Wm. T. Carleton Wm. Minot, executor of will of		00			
John Trull, of Boston B. C. Hardwick and Horace P.	500	00			
Williams, executors under will of Mrs. E. J. W. Baker	4,000	00			
·			\$6,600 00		
Life membership, Mrs. Geo. F. Mea		•	25 00		
Balance from Nov. 1, 1891 .		•	877 38		
Receipts Boys' Home			4	\$17,019	
				\$20,254	80
mounts paid out Girls' Home:					
Current expenses		•	\$7,336 09		
Atlantic National Bank note paid			1,000 00		
Interest on loan at bank			15 50		
Thanksgiving dinner, provided	by Geo.	Ο.			
Hovey Fund			35 00		
Fuel			477 08		
Repairs			400 10		
Investments			5,490 33		
Printing			143 34		
				\$14,897	44
Boys' Home	•	•		4,804	62
				\$19,702	06
Balance on hand in Bank				552	74
Note at Bank unpaid,				\$20,254 \$800	

WM. Q. WALES, TREASURER, in account with the	he Boys' Home, at Dedham.
Received:	
Board of Children	• \$573 93
Income from Invested Funds	• 945 25
Donations:	J.3 3
Henry L. Pierce	00
St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Dedham . 12	
O. M. Wentworth, Annual 100	
Geo. Henry Quincy, half travelling ex-	
penses Mr. and Mrs. Ham 12	20
Geo. Henry Quincy, special on acct.	
salaries, 1892 100	00
Mrs. M. B. Mason, annual, 1891 and	
1892 200	00
Mrs. Florence A. Boyd 25	
	00
Col. Fletcher Webster Camp No. 47,	
for support of Fred Breslyn 100	00
Geo. Henry Quincy, annual 100	
M. C. S. Quincy, annual 100	
	00
Mr. Elijah A. Morse, " 200	
Mr. C. W. Kingsley, " 100	
Mr. Daniel S. Ford, "100	
Mrs. B. F. Sturtevant, " 100	
Mis. D. I. Martevant, 100	
Mr. Henry E. Cobb, " 100 Mr. Oliver E. Chapman, annual for	00
	00
	00
Mr. Alexander Stowell 100	00
Mr. Geo. Henry Quincy, carpet from J.	6.
·	64
Congregational Sabbath School, Ded-	
	32
Mr. Henry L. Pierce 50	00
Error slip, Moffette Bros., Feb. 6. 1892,	1,715 59 30
	
Amounts paid out:	
Current expenses	. \$4,210 70
Repairs	. 322 01
Fuel	. 271 91
	\$4,804 62

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' and Boys' Homes and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of (\$552.74) five hundred and fifty-two and $\frac{74}{100}$ dollars which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

Boston, Oct. 28, 1892.

Signed, J. V. SPALDING, S. S. BLANCHARD, Auditors.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year 1853	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received —, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869.	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said institution for investment and income in support	4,170 00
thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872	1,000 00
and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16, 1876	3,000 c o
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9, 1877	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878	
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the	500 00
permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879. From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	500 00
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25,	
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	5,000 00
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be	
used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888 .	5,000 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31, 1889	F00 00
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be	500 00
used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the children, received Dec. 5, 1889	100 00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as the "Converse and Sturtevant Fund"	6,500 00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known as the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the income of	0,500 00
which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham	1,200 00
	\$42,070 00

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	Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua 1 00
For Clothing, etc.	Rutland St. Home 12 00
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CONSTITUTION.

- ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.
- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute lifemembership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders, indentures, and certificates of life-membership; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit, at every annual meeting, an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys so collected, and pay the same to the Treasurer.

- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. IO. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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In Memoriam.

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Resolutions on the death of Mrs. P. S. C. Olmstead, passed at a meeting of the Board of Managers, Jan. 6, 1893.

THE death of Mrs. P. S. C. Olmstead, for many years active in the management of the Boston Children's Friend Society, and until her death interested in its work, and a generous contributor to its support, calls for an expression of our love for this Christian friend and associate, and our feeling of loss in her sudden removal.

Therefore, the Board of Managers hereby place upon record their deep and abiding sense of her long and devoted service, her uniform and cheerful alacrity in responding to any demand upon her time and talents, and the happy spirit of consecration, the remembrance of which she has left with us, as an example and encouragement.

Gone to rest, dear friend and sister;
Weariness and pain are past:
Life, with ebb and flow, has left thee
On the better shore at last.
Gone to rest; oh, placid slumber!
We, the loving watch who keep,
Softly whisper this,—
"He giveth unto his beloved, sleep."

Mrs. Sarah B. Beach.

The death of Mrs. Sarah B. Beach, a former Matron of this Home, calls for a tribute of grateful remembrance. She was the widow of Rev. J. P. Beach, and was left while young, with limited means, to care for and support her three fatherless children. This she did with a self-sacrifice and a rare tenderness of devotion which proved her to be especially fitted for the position of mother in such a family as ours. She was elected to the office of Matron, November, 1863, and continued with us fourteen

years, until failing strength and nervous exhaustion, from the prolonged responsibility, compelled her to resign, and henceforward find a home, with needed rest, in the homes of her daughters, where she received the most watchful care and loving ministrations till her recent decease, in Auburndale, Jan. 25, 1893, at the age of seventy-eight years.

We desire to record the continuous confidence and satisfaction of the Managers and Advisers of the Society during all the years of Mrs. Beach's service with us. Her administration was characterized by an unselfish devotion to the interests and efficiency of the work. She was always dignified, wise, and gentle, commanding both affection and respect. She was also especially motherly and loving to the children, so many of whom knew little of what a Christian mother could be to childhood in its tender years.

The memory of her life and work remains, to be a blessing and inspiration to all who were in any way associated with her.

S. D. L.

REPORT.

It is well to stop for a little while, as the year closes, to consider the growth of our work in the past, before we go forward to the coming year and the more distant future. This review is now made a very easy matter, for in 1883, Miss Isabel D. Snow, whose brief Secretaryship, closed by death in the following year, has left a lasting and very loving impression with her associates, wrote the semi-centennial report; it is a carefully prepared history of the Society's life from 1833 to the date above mentioned. Glancing through it we learn that Miss Mary Webb, pondering upon the unhappy fate of children whose natural protectors either could not, or would not, care for them, and on the future danger to a community from such citizens, with steadfast purpose and unfailing hope, in spite of many discouragements, actually started this Society in 1833,—her friend, Mrs. Burns, taking into her house in the autumn of that year the three little girls who formed the nucleus of the new institution. From Mrs. Burns's house the Home moved to an old house on Sheafe Street, which Mr. Henry J. Oliver offered free to the Society, Mrs. Burns herself still acting as matron. In 1834 the Society was incorporated, the list of subscribers showed signs of growth and more children were admitted. After a few months the house 83 Prince Street was rented; it was occupied as a rented house for eight years, when it was bought, the officers thinking it best to own their Home. It soon became too small, and after four years was sold, the Society then renting a house in Somerville. While this new arrangement had many advantages, the Home proved to be too far from the city for the Managers to care for its interests conveniently, whereupon it was moved to a house on Washington Street; which, in turn, proved too small, and again the great desire of the officers to erect a building embodying their own ideas was considered. After many efforts they were encouraged,

in 1845, by a grant of ten thousand feet of land from the city; and with renewed exertion they succeeded in completing for occupancy, in 1848, the Home on Rutland Street, which is still used.

Starting with three children, the numbers increased, until the average cared for in this institution numbered thirty, for some years after the house on Prince Street was taken; then it varied from thirty to fifty until the present Home was built, from which time until 1883 it averaged seventy-five. At one time there were one hundred and two children in the Home; however, it has been found best, from considerations of health and safety, to accommodate no more than eighty, although the building was planned to accommodate one hundred children at a time. In general the health of the family has been good through all these years, proving that the children have had wise care. In 1866 the two-story wing was built, to be used as a hospital; later, when we decided to admit children under three years of age, the lower room in this wing was taken for a nursery, and is still so used.

During the last ten years the family at Rutland Street has averaged sixty-seven; the largest number being eighty-three, the smallest forty-seven. The children brought to the two Homes in these years, as for nearly twenty years preceding 1883, have been orphans; or, more commonly, children who have lost one parent by death or desertion, and have been placed in our care by the other, who is then free to find some means of support, feeling that the child is not neglected in the working hours. casionally a child is surrendered to us immediately after the three months' trial required, and sometimes a parent, finding that he can no longer care for his child, gives it up to us, having originally entered it as a boarder; but the majority of our children enter the Homes as boarders. Of course, the great event of the last decade is the establishment of the Boys' Home at Dedham. As soon as it was decided, in 1885, to take no more boys, as the accommodations for them at the Rutland Street Home were insufficient, and as they had always been largely in the minority, and when this decision was announced at the annual meeting of that year, the friends of the Home, who are especially the friends of needy boys, and other friends of boys throughout our city, came forward with generous offers of assistance if we would

rescind the vote passed at a meeting of the Managers a short time before, by which boys were not to be admitted to our Home. When another house was promised for the boys, the vote was gladly withdrawn. By the middle of the following April the house at Dedham was bought, and many in this audience remember the beautiful afternoon in June when it was dedicated. At first only a few boys were admitted; but very soon thirty boys, the largest number allowed there, were established in this pleasant home. This number is generally to be found there.

No very serious illness has visited either the Rutland Street Home during the past ten years, or the other Home during its existence; there have been some cases of scarlet fever, but they were generally very mild, and readily yielded to treatment.

A kindergarten department has been established in the school at the Rutland Street Home, and a pleasant room built for it off the large schoolroom, during these ten years.

Although the history of one year in our Homes is much like that of the twelve months preceding it, there have been this year more changes than usual. Miss Clara Perkins, the beloved Matron of our city Home, has been absent for the past three months, trying to gain strength sufficient to continue her work, after a summer of illness and sorrow. We have sympathized most deeply with her in the loss of her sister, Miss Fanny Perkins, whose sweet influence had made her much beloved in the Home, where she had lived and worked with her sister for several years. boys at our Dedham Home had been under the care of Mr. and Mrs. Ham, who came to take charge of the Home at the close of Mrs. Benedict's faithful service. The new Superintendent and his wife were deeply interested in this work, and would have continued in our service had not a most earnest and unexpected call come to them from Mr. Ham's parents, making it necessary for him to leave us, and for us to look again for a Superintendent and his wife. Mrs. Benedict consented to care for the boys during the time that we had no Superintendent, two months or more, and to stay for one month with Mr. and Mrs. Gleason, who came to fill the vacant places last May. As they have been connected with the work of Good Will Farm, where the Rev. G. W. Hinckley has his home for boys, both Mr. and Mrs. Gleason are familiar with work of this sort, and they come highly recommended by Mr. Hinckley.

The children of both Homes have had little illness during the year. While the babies were at the Dedham Home this last summer, there were several cases of chicken pox among them; and later, after their return to Boston, little Frank Tingley, one of their number, died of meningitis at the Children's Hospital, where he had been sent for especial care. Whenever needed, Dr. Holyoke has responded most generously to calls from the Rutland Street Home, and Dr. Babcock to calls from the Boys' Home. Dr. F. L. Jack has kindly given his services when called upon, and Miss Woodward, a dentist, has also given her services to the children of the City Home; while Dr. George F. Telly and Dr. G. A. Southgate, when called in for consultation on one occasion, at the Boys' Home, would take no compensation for their time and advice. To all these friends our most hearty thanks are due, as well as to Mr. S. C. Wilkins, for his service for the children of the Rutland Street Home one hour a week, this being only one of many years in which he has shown similar interest in the children; to the Rev. Mr. Seabury, of Dedham, we are likewise indebted for his monthly talks with the boys; and also to the Rev. F. D. Kelsev, of Helena, Montana, who addressed the boys last June. Mr. Howard, of Boston, has given them gymnastic training several times.

The following figures give the present numbers in the two Homes, and some idea of the changes during the year:—

RUTLAND STREET HOME.

Present number (5	9 gi	rls,	8 boy	s)						67
Admissions (27 gir			ys)							36
Readmissions (3 g							3			
Dismissals (22 girl	Dismissals (22 girls, 8 boys)									30
BOYS' HOME.										
Present number									•	28
Admissions .										II
Readmissions										2
Dismissals .										12

One girl has been surrendered to the Society, and one little boy, already mentioned, has died during the year. Among the children dismissed is Zabel Ayvazian, the little Armenian, in whose care many of the Society were especially interested. She had been cared for in our Home nine years, and has just been dismissed to her father, who is a physician at the quarantine station in New York Harbor, and is now able and glad to take the whole care of her.

All the children from the City Home, except the babies, spent the greater part of June, in response to the Rev. M. R. Deming's cordial invitation, at his summer home for children, near Beach-The babies were at the Dedham Home for five or six weeks in the summer. Several of the boys of this latter Home have taken two or three weeks vacation during the summer. The boys have generally assisted in the care of the garden, whose products have several times been sent in to the Rutland Street Home. On the Fourth of July the children of the latter Home enjoyed Mrs. Wright's gift of ice cream, strawberries, and cake. A similar gift has been received from the same friend for several years, in memory of her father, Mr. Lyman Nichols. A generous invitation was received in June from Mr. Blodgett,-whose sister, now dead, was much interested in our Society,-for the entire family of this Home to visit his place in Lincoln, Mass., on a certain day in strawberry time. As the children were then at the seashore, we were forced to decline this tempting invitation.

One especially interesting feature of the year's work has been the disposition of the older boys. Mr. Quincy, who is always very actively interested in the present and future welfare of these boys, has arranged this year to send five of the older ones to Good Will Farm, where they can be taught useful trades, and thus be prepared to take care of themselves. Four boys have been already transferred to Mr. Hinckley's care; another, through the influence of Mr. Quincy and another friend, has gone, to learn a trade, to a manufacturing town in our own State; and a sixth has left the Home to work on a Massachusetts farm. The boys of the Home have generally ranked well in the public schools of Dedham.

We deeply regret that we must announce the resignation of Mrs. Alexander Stowell, whose service of ten years on the Board of Managers and for the past two as Vice President, has been both wise and gracious.

Many friends have passed away since our last annual meeting: Mrs. Olmstead, of whom a full notice has been prepared by one

who knew her well, a Manager for eighteen years and an Honorary Manager for eight years; Mrs. Beach, for fourteen years Matron of the Rutland Street Home, of whom a special notice has likewise been prepared; Bishop Brooks, who showed his interest in our Society by becoming a life member; Mr. Henry R. Glover, a life member, who has encouraged our work most substantially for a number of years; Mr. William Fosdick, also a life member; Miss Krebs, whose bright, cheerful presence and efficient service we looked for at our annual festival in May, has died within the year, and Miss Fanny Perkins, of whom we have already spoken.

Nine new names have been added to the list of life members this year.

The annual donation festival, postponed this year because of serious illness in the Rutland Street Home, is to be held there on the 9th of this month, when it is hoped that a large attendance and generous outlay on the part of our friends will relieve our present need of money and other necessaries.

We gratefully acknowledge the generous donations of money and other articles received during the year, the kind services of the press, and the kind acts and words of our many friends, and at the same time we ask that we may depend on similar support in the year now opening, and thus enter upon its work with courage.

In behalf of the Managers,

KATIE M. MASON,

Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

BOYS' HOME, 1893.

WM. Q. WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BOYS' HOME, AT DEDHAM.

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	Friend, Christmas offering						5	00			
	Mr. Rufus F. Greeley .						10	00			
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	Mrs. Thomas Mack						10	00			
	Mr. Geo. Henry Quincy, an	nua	al				100	00			
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	Mr. Benj. F. Redfern						50	00			
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	Mr. Alex. Stowell						25	00			
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	Mr. S. T. Snow				•		10	00			
	Mr. John D. Bryant						10	00			
	Mr. C. S. Kendall						10	00			

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	Mrs. Mortimer C. Fer	ris				15	00		
	Mr. H. D. Hyde .					25	00		
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	Mrs. Henry R. Glover	r						2	00
	Mrs. David Noyes							2	00
	Mrs. M. D. Spaulding	5						5	00
	Mr. Geo. S. Dexter							5	00
	Mr. W. S. Houghton							10	00
	Rev. D. W. Waldron,	D.D).					I	00
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	Mr. E. W. Holmes								00
	Mrs. N. S. Hotchkiss							2	00
	Mrs. A. Stowell .							2	00
	Mrs. Brimmer .							5	00
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GIRLS' HOME, 1893.	
GIRLS HOME, 1093.	
WM. Q. WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BOSTON (CHILDREN'S
FRIEND SOCIETY.	
Receipts:—	
Board of children	\$2,426 95
Income from invested funds	2,676 00
Annual subscriptions \$806 oo	
Annual donations 645 00	
Life memberships	
For account of Autumn festival 247 25	
	1,923 25
Donations:—	
Old South Church, tenth annual \$265 18	
Francis R. Jones 5 00	
Helen W. Haynes, Christmas 5 00	
C. S. S., in memoriam	
Ellen S. Selfridge, Christmas 10 00	
Mrs. E. D. Miller, Sr 20 00	
Mrs. Thomas Mack 10 00 Second Congregational Church, Dorchester,	
primary department of Sabbath school . 5 00 Mrs. Elbridge Torrey, annual 10 00	
Mr. John L. Barry, annual 10 00	
Shawmut Congregational Church, annual . 85 00	
Hope Chapel Sabbath school, mission of Old	
South Society 20 00	
Massachusetts Charitable Fire Society 50 00	
Mrs. Chas. H. Allen, May Festival fund 25 00	
Mrs. Stone, Shawmut table 7 00	
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_											\$13,576	25
$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{x}$	PENSES:—											
	Current exper				•			•		•	\$6,966	13
	Thanksgiving	dinner,	prov	rided	by ''(Geo.	O. Ho	vey l	Fund	,,,	35	00
	Atlantic Natio				aid	•			•		800	00
	Interest paid	on loan									33	33
	Insurance .										114	00
	Fuel										508	57
	Repairs .										378	69
	Printing .		•		•	•	•	•		•	87	92
											\$8,923	64
	Boys' Home	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	4,542	91
											\$13,466	55
	Balance i	n bank					•	•		•	109	70
	Bills unpaid						\$340	22			\$13,576	25

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' Home and Boys' Home, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of (\$109.70) one hundred and nine and $\frac{7.0}{100}$ dollars,, which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

(Signed)

JOHN V. SPALDING, S. STILLMAN BLANCHARD, Auditors.

Boston, Oct. 27, 1893.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

Total include	D IN	TRE	ASUR	ER'S	RE	PORT		
In treasury from 1892 .								\$35 ∞
Church list								771 00
Life memberships						y .		225 00
Donations:—								
Mrs. B. F. Sturtevant						\$100	00	
Mrs. Mortimer B. Mason						100	00	
Mrs. George H. Quincy						100	00	
Hon. Elijah A. Morse						200	00	
Hon. Chester W. Kingsley	7					100	00	
Mr. C. W. Trainer .						10	00	
Willard & Quincy .						10	00	
Mrs. W. P. Balch .						I	00	
A Friend						2	00	
A Friend						5	00	
Mrs. Ahl						10	00	
A Friend						2	00	
Miss May Whitehead.						5	00	
								645 ∞
Autumn Festival:-								
Miss B. Brown						I	00	
Mrs. Joseph Sawyer .						5	00	
Mrs. W. G. Smith .						I	со	
Miss M. L. Ferris .						25	00	
н						20	00	
Mrs. Z. C. Goodwin .						20	00	
Miss S. M. Stetson .						10	00	
F. S. P						10	00	
C. H. P						10	00	
Miss Ferris						5	00	
Mrs. J. Colburn						5	00	
Contributed						10	00	
Miss Hewins (collected)						11	25	
Mrs. Bingham (collected)						100	00	
Miss H. Capen						10	00	
Miss Margaret Capen						5	00	
							_	248 25
								\$893 25

PERMANENT FUND.

THE "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

\$2,000 00
1,000 00
5,500 00
1,000 00
4,170 00
1,000 00
3,000 00
100 00
500 00
500 00
5,000 00
5,000 00
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500 00

From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the	
children, received Dec. 5, 1889	\$100 00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as	
the "Converse and Sturtevant Fund"	6,500 00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known	
as the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund,"	
the income of which to be appropriated to repairs at	
Dedham	1,200 00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income	
only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the	
"Harriet A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893 .	2,000 00
	\$44.070.00
	\$44,070 00

FORM OF BEQUEST.

ANNUÁL SUBSCRIBERS FOR 1893.

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MISS ISABELLA M. HURLBERT, Collector.

MISS ISABELLA M. F	IURLBERT, Collector.	
Mrs. C. C. Richmond . \$2 co	Mrs. W. G. Benedict.	. \$2 00
Mrs. E. B. Webb 2 00	Mrs. J. S. Stone .	. 2 00
Mrs. F. B. Ingraham . 200	Mrs. G. B. Drake .	. 2 00
Mrs. G. W. Merritt 2 00	Mrs. J. W. Bliss .	. 2 00
Mrs. Henry Frost 2 00	Mrs. C. H. Allen .	. 2 00
Mrs. S. F. Snow 2 00	Mrs. E. C. Stanwood	. 2 00
Mrs. L. A. Leland 2 00	Mrs. J. A. Glidden .	. 2 00
Mrs. W. E. Hodgkins . 2 00	Mr. Albert S. Pratt .	. 5 00
Mrs. E. M. Farnsworth . 2 00	Mrs. Frank Wood .	. 2 00
Mr. S. T. Snow 5 00	Mrs. M. F. Dickenson	. 2 00
Mr. A. G. Perkins 3 00	Miss I. M. Hurlbert .	. I 00
Rice, Kendall & Co 5 00	Miss Carrie Plaisted	. 2 00
Mr. C. A. Putnam 5 00	Mrs. Emeline Babcock	. 2 00
Mr. W. G. Benedict . 5 00	Mrs. D. E. Partridge	. 1 00
Mrs. I. D. Blodgett 2 00	Miss Mary F. Emery	. 2 00
Mr. C. B. Botsford 3 00	Mrs. C. A. Putnam .	. 2 00
Mrs. S. C. Shapleigh . 2 00	Mrs. Wm. E. Barton	. 2 00
Mrs. L. P. Foster 2 00		
Mrs. F. A. Foster 2 00	1 .	\$87 00
PARK STRE	ET CHURCH.	
Miss Miriam S. Shattuck . \$2 00	A Friend	. \$2 00
Mrs. W. E. Murdock . 2 00	A Friend	. 1 00
Mrs. G. W. Coburn . 2 00		
Mrs. A. F. Odlin 1 00		\$10 00
CENTRAL	CHURCH.	
Mice Mary M.	ORTON, Collector.	
Mrs. Joseph White \$2 00	Mrs. A. Van Wagenen	. \$2 00
Mrs. George J. Putnam . 1 00	Mr. William Houghton	. 10 00
Miss Grace White 1 00	Mr. C. S. Houghton Miss Lizzie Houghton	. 5 00
Mrs. J. N. Denison 5 00		. 2 00

Mrs. Edward Kelley .		\$2 00	Miss Abbie Child .		\$1 00
Mrs. Chas. Rollins .		2 00	Miss Myra Child .		I 00
Mrs. G. W. Bullard .		I 00	Mrs. G. F. Bouve .		2 00
Mrs. N. Brimbecom .		I 00	Mrs. Arthur Stanwood		2 20
Mrs. Joel Goldthwait		2 00	Miss Studley		1 00
Mrs. W. O. Grover .		10 00	Miss Miner		2 00
Mr. W. O. Grover .		10 00	Miss C. S. Robinson		2 00
Miss H. M. Robinson		2 00			
Mrs. Jonathan White		2 00			\$71 00
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Miss Florence Boyd .		\$2 00	Mrs. H. E. Richards .		\$2 00
Mrs. M. B. Mason .		2 00	Mrs. Nathan Morse .		2 00
Mrs. S. E. Mason .		2 00	Miss Fannie Morse .		2 00
Mrs. Chas. A. Morse		2 00	Mrs. J. M. Shute .		I 00
Mrs. Ambrose Eastman		2 00	Mrs. Chas. Carruth .		2 00
Mrs. Amos Barnes .		I 00	Mrs. Hamilton A. Hill		2 00
Mr. Samuel Johnson		5 00	Miss Annie C. Hill .		I 00
Mr. Hamilton Hill .		I 00	Mrs. R. H. Stearns .		5 00
Miss Lida Boyd .		2 00	Mrs. J. H. Gray .		2 00
Miss Harriet McCarter		I 00	Mrs. C. B. Wilson .		2 00
Mrs. Frank W. Hunt		2 00	Mrs. Alpheus Hardy		2 00
Mrs. Moses H. Day .		2 00	Mrs. H. D. Hyde .		2 00
Mrs. William B. Garrett		2 00	Mrs. William Gaston		2 00
Miss Elmira Hill .		2 00	Mr. F. D. Allen .		5 00
Miss Louise Hill .		2 00	Mr. Moses W. Richardson	1	5 00
Mrs. William Wesselhoft		2 00			
Mrs. H. R. Merrill .		2 00			\$73 00
Mrs. E. N. Baker .		2 00			173
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Mrs. W. A. Stetson .		\$2 00	Mrs. Luther M. Merrill		\$2 00
Mrs. J. A. Lane .		2 00	Mrs. R. K. Atwood .		2 00
Mrs. Albert Gay .		2 00	Mrs. J. L. Martin .		2 00
Mrs. Thomas White .		2 00	Mrs. Nelson Curtis .		2 00
Miss Louise J. Brown		2 00	Miss Susie E. White		2 00
Mr. Albert Gay .		5 00	Miss M. S. Blake .		2 00
Mr. J. A. Lane		5 00	Mrs. C. U. Thomas .		2 00
Mrs. J. S. Winn .	•	2 00	Mrs. Albert Humphrey	•	1 00
Mrs. John Porteous .		1 00			
Mrs. William H. White		5 00			\$45 00
Mrs. Thomas P. Smith		2 00			. 10

CLARENDON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

MRS. F. H. KREBS, Collector.

Mrs. F. H. Krebs			\$2 00	Mrs. Joseph Kendall.	\$2 00
Mrs. R. K. Potter			2 00	Mr. Matthew Bolles	5 00
Miss Edith L. Beal			2 00	Mrs. C. M. Winch	5 00
Mrs. S. P. Hibbard			2 00	Mrs. J. E. Daniels	2 00
A Friend			2 00	Mrs. S. Harvey Lorings .	2 00
Mrs. C. D. Gould		•	2 00	Mr. Richard Fairfax Balls,	5 00
Mrs. J. C. Stevens			2 00	Mrs. Chas. Kendall	2 00
Mrs. G. S. Dexter			5 00	Mrs. Almira Cudworth .	2 00
Mrs. C. S. Butler			2 00	Mrs. Hezekiah G. Chase .	2 00
Mrs. A. E. Giles			2 00	Mrs. Aurora D. Swain .	2 00
Mrs. A. J. Gordon			2 00	Miss Antoinette Hapgood,	2 00
Mrs. Elihu T. Under	hill	٠.	2 00		
Mr. S. P. Hubbard		•	5 00		\$63 00

WARREN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mrs. F. B. Rogers, Collector.

Mrs. Joseph Sawyer .	\$2 00	Miss Eliza D. Smith	\$2 00
Mrs. F. B. Rogers .	2 00	Mrs. O. M. Wentworth	2 00
Mrs. C. E. Wiggin .	2 00	Mrs. Jonathan Parker	2 00
Mrs. F. W. Freeborn	2 00	Mrs. C. P. Hall	2 00
Mrs. A. W. Sawyer .	2 00		
Miss M. F. Cogswell	2 00		\$20 00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

MRS. G. P. BINGHAM, Collector.

Mrs. S. W. Luce .	\$2 00	Mrs. F. S. Hooper .	\$2 00
Mrs. I. W. Chick .	2 00	Mrs. E. D. Hauthaway	2 00
Mrs. William Beals .	2 00	Mrs. Wm. Fosdick .	2 00
Mrs. B. W. Dunklee .	2 00	Mrs. Walter B. Adams	2 00
Mrs. L. W. Standish .	2 00	Mrs. Frank E. James .	2 00
Mrs. A. S. Woodworth	2 00	Mrs. Costello Converse	2 00
Mrs. I. O. Whiting .	2 00	Mrs. E. C. Fitz	2 00
Mrs. J. D. K. Willis .	2 00	Mrs. C. B. Lane .	2 00
Mrs. J. C. Goodwin .	2 00	Mrs. Wm. H. Capen .	2 00
Mrs. W. H. Leatherbee	2 00	Mrs. E. A. Capen .	2 00
Miss S. M. Stetson .	2 00	Mrs. Henry J. Williams	2 00
Miss A. B. Woodward	2 00		
Miss A. Standish .	2 00		\$50 00
Mrs. F. W. Smith .	2 00		

TRINITY CHURCH.

MISS ABBY C. HOWES, Collector.

MIISS	AB	BY C. I.	iowes, Con	iector.			
Mrs. S. W. Brown .		\$3 00	Mrs. Sim	on Davis			\$2 00
Mrs. G. G. Crocker .		2 00	Miss M.]	. Allen			2 00
Mrs. Alexander Strong		2 00		. Dunklee			2 00
Mrs. Chas. W. Galloupe		2 00	Mrs. Mix		•	·	2 00
Mrs. R. T. Paine, Jr	•			us A. Page	•	•	
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Mrs. Edward Potter .	٠	2 00					-
Mrs. H. C. Snow .	•	2 00					\$33 00
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Mrs. Henry Whittemore							\$2 00
Mrs. A. G. Weeks .							2 00
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Mrs. Wm. F. Humphrey	•	2 00	1				
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Mrs. Warren Stetson		2 00					
Mrs. J. G. Shillaber .		2 00					\$16 00
Mr. M. Van Nason .		5 00					
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ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH.

Mrs. James Bowen			•.		•				\$2 00
Mrs. Alan G. Mason .									2 00
Mrs. H. W. Dodd			•						2 00
Mrs. Henry Mason									2 00
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Mrs. Joshua Merrill .	. :	2 00	Miss	Susa	an H.	Pier	ce		2 00
Mrs. J. W. Cushing .		2 00							
Mrs. Caleb Blodgett .		2 00							\$18 00
Mrs. Wm. Libbey .	. (6 00							
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Mrs. Peter Butler .	. \$	2 00	Miss	Mar	y Wh	itehe	ead		\$5 00
Miss Isabel Butler .	. :	2 00			Н. Тı				2 00
Mr. Peter Butler Olney, Jr		I 00	Mrs.	A. F	e. Pil	lsbur	у .		2 00
Mr. A. W. Hooper .	. 1	0 00	Mr.	Amo	s Tap	ley			5 00
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Mrs. C. A. Cutting .		2 00							
Mrs. Chester Guild .		2 00							\$52 00
Miss Eleanor Bigelow		2 00	1						

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Mrs. Edward Steese				•	•	•			\$2 00
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Mrs. Amasa Clarke .									\$2 00
Mrs. W. H. Wilder .									5 00
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Mrs. D. W. Russell .		\$2 00	Miss	s Fan:	nie H	all			\$2 00
Mrs. C. H. Draper .		2 00	Mrs	. O. I	I. Alf	ord			2 00
Mrs. M. L. Hall .		5 00	Miss	s M. I	I. To	mps	on		2 00
Mr. G. G. Hall	•	5 00	1	. Sam				٠.	2 00
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Mrs. G. F. Fabyan .	•	2 00		. Will				•	2 00
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Mrs. E. Wason	•	2 00		. C. C			th.	•	2 00
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Mrs. James Rothwell	•								\$2 00
Mrs. W. W. Potter.	٠	•	•		•	•	•	•	2 00
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SECOND PARISH, DORCHESTER.

MISS M. B. MEANS, Collector.

Mrs. E. D. Miller . \$2 or Mrs. William Quincy Wales 2 or Miss E. B. Sharp . 1 or Mrs. J. H. Means . 3 or Miss M. B. Means . 3 or Mrs. J. W. Field . 2 or Mrs. T. B. Townsend . 5 or	Mrs. E. S. Merrihew 2 00 Mrs. A. Morse 2 00 Mrs. J. Alfred Tucker . 2 00 \$26 00
DUDLEY STREET	BAPTIST CHURCH.
Miss S. E. Ma	COMBER, Collector.
Mrs. John Carr \$2 00 Miss S. E. Macomber . 1 00 Mrs. William Hunneman . 2 00 Mrs. Edw. Kimball 2 00 Mrs. Jane R. Pitts 2 00	\$13 00
ELIOT CHUR	RCH, ROXBURY.
Mrs. Gilman	S. Low, Collector.
Mrs. A. C. Thompson	\$2 00
WAINITAN	ENUE CHURCH.
Mrs. Charles F. Bray	\$2 00
Mis. Charles I. Biay	,
HIGHLAND CONGR	EGATIONAL CHURCH.
Mrs. S. N. Stockwell	\$2 00
Mrs. Gilman S. Low	2 00
Miss M. C. Burgess	2 00
	\$6 00
DEDHAM	CHURCHES.
Mrs. Geo. E.	Browne, Collector.
Mrs. Horatio G. Turner . \$2 00	Mr. E. E. Poole \$5 00
Mrs. Geo. E. Browne . 2 oc	Mrs. Henry A. Hitchings . 200
Master Thomas Browne . 1 00	
Miss M. C. Burgess 2 oc	\$14.00
CAMBRIDG	E CHURCHES.
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Mrs. Joshua Lincoln . 2 00	
Mrs. J. W. Merrill 5 oc	
Mrs. H. D. Yerxa 10 oc	

DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME.

FROM NOV. 1, 1892, TO NOV. 1, 1893.

CLOTHING.

A Friend Adams, Mrs. W. B. Ball, Mrs. G. H. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Churchill, Mrs. Coffin, Mrs. B. H. Converse, E. S. Daniels, Mrs. J. C. Davis, Mrs. Domett, Mrs. C. C. Ferris, Miss Lillie Gould, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. M. L. Hyde, Mrs. H. D. Ingraham, Mrs. Knott, Mrs. James R. Krebs, Mrs. F. H.

Lane, Mrs. J. C. Merritt, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. G. W. Needlework Guild Noves Bros. Plimpton, Mrs. H. M. Proctor, Mrs. H. H. Ruggles, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Arthur Sprague, Mrs. E. H. United Workers, Watertown Upham, Mrs. Wiley, Miss Wilson, Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, A. S.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

Appleton, Mrs.
Appleton, Mrs. Wm.
Barton, Rev. W. A.
Brimbecom, Mrs. N.
Cobb, Bates & Yerxa
Converse, C. C.
Daniels, J. E.
Dedham Home
Deming, Rev. M. R.
Everett School, 2d Div., 3d Class
Ferris, Miss Lillie
Freeman, J. E.
Gay, Mrs. Albert
Hall, Stacy

Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S.
Institute Seashore Home
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Loomis, E. G.
Nichols & Kendall, Messrs.
Pray, B. S.
Porteus, Mrs. John
Quincy, G. H.
Stafford, A. S.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.
Wilkins, S. C.
Winch, Mrs. Ellen M. B.
Wood, Miss Edith
Wright, Mrs. A. M.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS, AND FLOWERS.

A Friend
Appleton, Mrs.
Barnard, Mrs.
Bingham, Mrs. G. P.
Congregational S. S., Quincy
Domett, Mrs. C. C.
Dommet, Mrs. C. H.
Eustis, Mr.
Ferris, Miss Lillie
Gay, Mrs. G. E.
George Putnam School, 4th Class
Hastings, Jack
Knott, Mrs. J. R.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Lane, Mrs. Joshua

Rayner, Mrs. C. L.
Richards, Misses Gertrude and Mabel
Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph
Second Church, Primary S. S.
The Benevolent Helpers, Harvard Cong'l Church, Brookline
Trinitarian S. S., Cong'l Church, Taunton
Waldron, Rev. D. W.
Ward, S. & Co.
Warrenton Street Mission
Wentworth, Miss Mabel
Wentworth, Miss Gertrude
Whillow, Miss Alice M.

CROCKERY, FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

A Friend Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Briggs, Richard & Co. Converse, Mrs. C. C. Fosdick, Mrs. Wm. French, Abram & Co. Lane, Mrs. Charles Rayner, Mrs. C. L.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A Friend
A Friend
Allen, Lane & Co.
Barker, Mrs.
Bingham, Mrs. G. P.
Bliss, Fabyan & Co.
Chick, Mrs.
Claflin, Wm. & Co.
Cobb, Bates & Yerxa
Daniels, Mrs. J. E.
Eaton, Mrs.
Gay, Mrs. Albert
Glover, Mrs. H. R.

Hewins, Mrs. J. P.
Hodgeman Rubber Co.
Hooper, Thomas
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Merritt, Mrs.
Parker, Wilder & Co.
Potter, Mrs. R. K.
Redfern, Mr.
Sewing Circle, Quincy.
Shepard, Norwell & Co.
Upham, Mrs.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES,

AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

For Frosted Cakes for C	hildren.	Hyde, Mrs. H. D		\$00
Lincoln, Joshua .	\$2 00	Olmstead, Mrs. P. S. C.	1.1	5 00
, y	T	Potter, Mrs. R. K.		1 00
For Hosiery.		Stowell, Mrs. A		1 00
Hall, Mrs. M. L	27 75	Sturdefant, Mrs		5 00
For Sugar.		For Christmas		
Appleton, Mrs	I 00	Appleton, Mrs. Wm.		5 00
		Brimmer, Mrs		5 00
For Boots for Nursery C	hildren.	Brown, Durrell & Co.		5 00
Norcross, Miss Ida .	5 00	Cook, Mrs. Joseph .		1 00
Franchisco Cinantana	1 (1.	Daniels, Mrs. J. E		2 00
For Printing Circulars as		Estabrook, A. T.		5 00
for Christmas Appe		Fisk, Mrs. J. N.		5 00
Quincy, G. H	. 12 38	Goodwin, Mrs. Z. C.		5 00
For the Children.		Hale, Mrs. Ellen N		25 00
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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.
- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
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REPORT.

THE following figures give the present number in the Rutland Street Home, and also show what changes have occurred during the year:—

Present number (51 girls, 6 boys)				57
Admissions (26 girls, 6 boys)				32
Dismissals (27 girls, 8 boys)				35

The children are divided into the three following classes: thirtyeight girls are in the schoolroom, twelve boys and girls in the kindergarten, and there are seven babies. The ages of the children range from two to eighteen years.

If we follow the past year at this Home chronologically, we find the first item of importance on the calendar is the annual donation festival, held in November, its usual celebration in May being prevented by sickness in the Home. Ladies from the different churches presided over the tables, and the children sang their songs, recited their pieces, and went through their exercises with great delight and enthusiasm. We cannot urge our friends too heartily to visit the Home on this, our annual festival day, and to see for themselves the happy faces of the children in their pleasant and sunny surroundings.

The new year had scarcely opened when a case of scarlet fever appeared. This was followed by one case after another, until in all twenty-six children had the fever. It was not until the second week in July that the Home was considered free from the disease, and no children were admitted until the first of September. What a siege this was for the Matron we can perhaps faintly imagine. She had the aid of two trained nurses and two assistant nurses, and it speaks well for the care the children received when we say that not a case was lost.

As a consequence of so much sickness the children have had very few outings during the summer. For this reason it was

necessary to decline Rev. M. R. Deming's kind invitation for all the children except the babies to spend June at his summer home for children in Beachmont. Rev. D. W. Waldron invited the children to spend a day at Franklin Park, but this pleasure was lost because the day was stormy. Later in the summer Mr. Waldron sent tickets for a trip down the harbor. A number of the older girls were able to go on this excursion, and it is unnecessary to say that the afternoon gave them much pleasure. June 29th was a happy day at the Home. The children then enjoyed Mrs. Wright's annual gift of ice cream, strawberries, and cake, which she sends to them on this day in remembrance of the birthday of her father, Mr. Lyman Nichols.

At the Boys' Home in Dedham the numbers are as follows:

Present numb	er					24
Admissions						12
Dismissals						10

The oldest boy is thirteen years old and the youngest six.

"Misfortunes never come singly," it is said; and not only has it been a hard year at Rutland Street, but a very trying one has been passed at Dedham. Mr. and Mrs. Gleason, who were in charge of the Home, left in December, and Mrs. Deane and Miss Russel became the Matrons. They have been serving most acceptably since then. Early in December scarlet fever broke out in this Home. There were seven cases, and it was necessary to have the services of a nurse. We are glad to say that all who had the fever recovered; but this was a trying time in many ways for the Matrons. They at least knew where the sick boys were, but it was more difficult to be quite certain what was occupying the attention of the twenty or more well boys, who, of course, could not attend the public schools while the fever lasted.

There was more or less sickness at the Home during the spring, and at one time one of the teachers was very ill. Thinking there must be a cause for so much illness the plumbing was examined, and found to be in a shocking condition. The Board of Health was consulted, and said that everything must be overhauled. Consequently the plumbing has been entirely refitted,

and is now in thorough order, though it has taken the greater part of the summer for this to be accomplished.

The Managers living in Boston and elsewhere found it very difficult to visit this Home with the regularity necessary, and in order to aid the two Managers, Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. Hitchings, who have done so much for the boys, it was decided to increase the Committee on the Boys' Home by the addition of five ladies also residing in Dedham; and Mrs. H. P. Quincy, Miss S. K. Burgess, Mrs. H. C. Delano, Mrs. F. J. Stimson, and Miss C. M. Worthington have been placed on this committee, and have proved a most able addition to the Board of Managers.

To more thoroughly awaken interest among the friends of this Home, and especially among the people of Dedham, this committee arranged for the celebration of "Donation Day," on the afternoon of October 17th. Tea was served, various articles were for sale, and an opportunity was given the guests to see the boys in their home.

We have many kind friends whom we wish to thank for their services during the year. Dr. Holyoke has been untiring in his visits at Rutland Street through the months of scarlet fever, and Dr. F. E. Babcock's faithful services were most thoroughly appreciated at the Dedham Home, when there was so much illness there. Dr. F. L. Jack has kindly responded to any calls. At Rutland Street Dr. Marion Woodward has taken the entire charge in dentistry. When we stop and think that this means the care of nearly sixty children's teeth at the most critical time in their lives, we gain some idea of what Dr. Woodward's services have been. Among those who have given us their time professionally, we miss the name of Dr. J. E. Walker, whose death occurred in June. He was for many years attending physician at the Rutland Street Home, and when he no longer served in this way, always held himself ready to be called in consultation.

We are indebted to Deacon S. C. Wilkins for his weekly service with the children at Rutland Street, and to Rev. J. B. Seabury for his visits to the boys at Dedham, and for his talks with them. Dr. H. P. Quincy and Mr. E. Worthington, Jr., have been most kind in giving much time and attention in looking after the sanitary arrangements at Dedham.

We deeply regret that we are obliged to announce the resignation of Miss Katie M. Mason, who has been the faithful and efficient Corresponding Secretary for the past eight years. We regret most earnestly that our pleasant relations have been severed, and that we have lost her assistance, which has been of such value to us.

During the year two of our Managers have found it necessary to resign, Miss Abbie C. Howes and Miss Elizabeth A. Wales, whose able co-operation we shall greatly miss.

We would thank all our friends for their many kindnesses during the year; for their gifts of money; for their donations of food and clothing, and for the encouragement which their presence has given us at our annual meeting and festivals; and we do not forget the press and its kind offices.

The past year has been a trying one financially, with so much sickness and the extensive repairs; and we earnestly hope that those who have been our friends in the past will be as loyal in the months to come, and that many who have not known the work of this Society will become our friends, because they love the children and want to help them.

In behalf of the Managers,

Anna F. Hyde, Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GIRLS' HOME, 1894.

Wm. Q. Wales, Treasurer, in account with the Girls' Home.

RE	CEIPTS:-									
	Board of children								\$1,670	19
	Income from invested								1,997	
	Annual subscriptions	and	dona	tions						_
	Autumn festival								713	
	Life memberships	•							50	00
Do	NATIONS :—									
	Old South Church, el	leven	ith ar	nnual			\$321	15		
	Wm. Q. Wales .						10	00		
	S. W. Rodman .						5	00		
	Sabbath school, S									
	Church, Dorches						14	89		
	Mrs. Elbridge Torrey				.)		10	00		
	Mr. John L. Barry						IO	00		
	Shawmut Congregation						76	30		
	Mrs. M. L. Hall						100	00		
	Mrs. M. C. Ferris						50	00		
	Mrs. L. C. Goodwin						20	00		
	Mrs. L. T. H						10	00		0
	С. Н. Р						10	00		
	F. S. P						10	00		
	G. G. Hall						10	00		
	Miss S. M. Stetson						10	00		
	Mrs. Newcomb, from	Alls	ton t	able			12	00		
	Massachusetts Charita	able	Fire	Socie	ety		50	00		
	Mrs. J. W. Field	•			•		2	00		
	Miss E. B. Sharpe						I	00		
	Mrs. Elizabeth F. Glo	ver,	May	Day	dona	ition	50	00		
									782	34

Legacies and Incomes from same:—	
Income of bequest of Mrs. M. P. Gay, through	
Park Street Congregational Society, C. G.	
Lewis, treasurer \$50 00	
Estate Mary Ann Blaney, H. S. Harris, executor, 50 00	
J. D. Bryant, trustee under will of F. E. Webber, 500 00	
Mrs. Elizabeth F. Glover, executrix of will of	
Henry R. Glover, legacy, the income of	
which is to be used only 1,000 00	
	\$1,600 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, refund of bank tax	0
bank tax	81 41
Interest coupon 30 00	1 020 00
Christmas appeal	1,030 00
Atlantic National Bank, loan	1,000 00
Atlantic National Bank, rebate of interest .	8 50
Titiantic Ivational Dank, reduce of interest	
)	\$10,237 23
Boys' Home	5,046 13
	\$15,283 36
Balance from Nov. 1, 1893	109 70
	\$15,393 06
BOYS' HOME, 1894.	
WM. Q. WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BO	ys' Home,
Dedham.	
Receipts:—	
Board of children	\$571 40
Income from invested funds	1,281 73
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Donations:—	
Benj. F. Redfern, for support for one year of	
Charlie Barstow \$50 00	
George F. Fabyan 50 00	
C. H. Bond	
A. H. Rhodes 5 00 Rebecca C. Ames	
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C. W. Kinsley 100 00	

St. Paul's Church, I Col. Fletcher Webs							\$5 00		
Breslyn boys				47,	suppc)11	100 00		
Amos W. Stetson			•	•	•	•	50 00		
Albert A. Pope .			•		•	•	50 00		
Mr. Utley					•	•	5 00		
For Dedham Home							15 00		
Dedham Congregati							30 00		
					-	·		\$693	00
Teeter Loan paid								2,500	
								\$5,046	13
Expenditures:-									
Commission on Kel	lam	Loan					\$19 13		
Repairs							1,131 56		
Fuel							549 29		
Current expenses							3,702 82		
EXPENDITURES, Girls' H	Iom	e:						5,402	80
Current expenses							\$7 222 72		
Thanksgiving Dinn							Ψ1,223 13		
Hovey Fund"							35 00		
Discount on bank lo							15 13		
Atlantic National Ba							0 0		
Repairs			•				430 75		
Printing							110 25		
Fuel							491 69		
Insurance							148 50		
								9,455	05
Boys' Home		•		٠	•			5,402	
								\$14,857	85
Balance in bank				•				535	21
								\$15,393	06

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' Home and Boys' Home, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of five hundred and thirty-five and $\frac{21}{100}$ dollars (\$535.21), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

J. V. SPALDING, S. S. BLANCHARD, Auditors.

Boston, Oct. 30, 1894.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

In	treasury from 1893								\$1	00
Ch	urch list								707	00
Lif	e membership .								25	00
Au	tumn sale								713	74
AN	NUAL SUBSCRIPTION	S AN	D D	ONAT	IONS	:				
	Hon. E. A. Morse						\$200	00		
	Mrs. Geo. H. Quino	у					100	00		
	Hon. Chester U. Ki	ngsl	ey				100	00		
	Mr. David W. Noye	s					10	00		
	Mr. Redfern .						50	00		
	Mrs. M. B. Mason						50	00		
	Mrs. William Apple	ton					10	00		
	Mrs. J. Arthur Beeb	е					5	00		
	Mr. Martin Cate						10	00		
	Mrs. W. P. Balch						I	00		
	Miss H. Capen .						12	00		
	Miss M. Capen .						5	00		
	Mrs. C. D. Raynor						2	00		
	Mrs. A. N. Allen						2	00		
									557	00

\$2,003 74

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

be used:—	0
From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
year 1853	\$2,000 00
the Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and	
known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860. From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	5,500 00
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received ——, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the	4,170 00
capital fund of said institution for investment and income	
in support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872 From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on	1,000 00
interest, and such interest to be applied to the support of	
said Society forever," received May 16, 1876 From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to	3,000 00
the permanent funds," received April 9, 1877	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added	300 00
to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be	500 00
kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received	
April 25, 1884	5,000 00
the permanent investments of the Society, the income	
only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by	<i>J</i> ,
an approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added	
to the Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of	
which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888	5,000 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on	
interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,	
1889	500 00

From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which	
to be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the	
children, received Dec. 5, 1889	\$100 00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as	
the "Converse and Sturtevant Fund"	6,500 00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known	
as the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund,"	
the income of which to be appropriated to repairs at	
Dedham	1,200 00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income	
only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the	
"Harriet A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893	2,000 00
	\$44,070.00

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DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME.

FROM Nov. 1, 1893, TO Nov. 1, 1894.

CLOTHING.

A Friend
Ball, Mrs. G. H.
Beston Branch Needlework Guild
of America
Capen, Miss Henrietta
Capen, Miss Margaret
Chick, Mrs. Albert
Curtis, Mrs.
Curtis, Mrs.
Curtis, Miss M. G.
Daniels, Mrs. J. E.
Davis, Miss Isabel
Ferris, Mrs. M. C.
Gay, Mrs. Albert
Gould, Mrs.
Hall, Mrs. M. L

Hamilton, Miss Rebecca
Hyde, Mrs. H. D.
Jordan, Marsh & Co.
Kimball, Mrs.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Mayo, Lincoln and Amy E.
Noyes, Mrs.
Relief Committee, 59 Bedford Street
Relief Committee
Richardson, Mrs.
Rollins, Mrs. Chas.
Sawyer, Mrs. Arthur
Sprague, Mrs.
Thayer, Mrs. E. R.
Walten, Mrs. B. F.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

Adams, A. J.
Blunt, Harvey
Brimbecome, Miss
Burr & Groke
Crowell, Mrs.
Dedham Home
Female Asylum
Ferris, Miss Lillie
Fosdick, Mrs.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
Freeman, James E.
Hammer, Mrs. E. C.
Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S.
Jaynes, Mrs. C. A.

Kendall, Chas. S.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua
May, Mr.
Miss Grover's Class, Everett School
Miss Proctor's Class, Everett School
Nichols, Lyman
Pillsbury, Mrs. A. E.
Quincy, G. H.
Sturtevant, Mrs. B. F.
Union Church Chorus
Woods, Miss Edith
Wright, Mrs. G. M.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS, AND FLOWERS.

Albree, Master Norman
Cabot, Mrs. M. T.
De Merritt, Mrs.
Giles, Mr. and Mrs. G. E.
Gray, Miss Katherine P.
Hobbs, Mr. Fred. W.
Howes, Miss Abbie
Key, Mr.
Knox, Mrs.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua
McGlarham, Mrs. Ruth

Milliken, Mrs.
Parker Memorial
Reed, Mrs. Fred
Rice, Mr.
Richards, Mrs. H. C.
Shaw, Mrs. Quincy A.
Sheefe, Mrs. William
Sunday school, Newton Centre
Thayer, Marjory and Mildred
W. C. T. U.
Westwood, Mrs. C. R.

CROCKERY, FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

Mrs. Fosdick

Mrs. H. D. Hyde

MISCELLANEOUS.

Boston Y. M. C. U.
Buffum, Misses Edith and Christine
Dunbar, Mrs.
Gay, Mrs. Albert
Howes, Miss Abbie C.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.

Livermore, Mrs. O. C. Robinson, J. H. & Co. Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph Waldron, Rev. D. W. Wells Memorial Wilkins, Mr. S. C.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES.

For Hosiery.	For Burke Children.
Hall, Mrs. M. L \$21 40	Hall, Mrs. M. L \$2 00
For Dress.	
Capen, Mrs. U 5 00	For Car Rides.
For the Children.	Albree, Mrs. John 1 00
Sparks, Mrs 2 00	For Christmas.
Mack, Mrs. Thomas 10 00	Putnem Miss Alice
Work on Trees.	Putnam, Miss Alice 1 00
work on I rees.	Tileston, E. F 2 00
Gay, Mrs. Albert 1 00	Lincoln, N. U 10 00

DONATIONS FOR BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

From Nov. 1, 1893 to Nov. 1, 1894.

CLOTHING.

American Rubber Co. Dean, Mr. Hovey, C. F., & Co Lane, Mrs. J. A. Lutz, Mrs. H. Louise McFlvoy, Mrs. Merritt, Chase & Co. Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. D. Talbot, G. M. Toppan, H. Tuttle, H. H., & Co. Wakefield, Harold Wales, Wm. Q.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

Gay, Mrs. A. Morrison, Mrs. Pattenode & Jacobs Spaulding, Mrs. John Spaulding, J. P.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS, AND FLOWERS.

Brown, Mrs. G. E.
Burgess, Mrs. S. R.
Capan, Mrs. J.
Church, Mrs.
Delano, Mrs. H. C.
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
French, Mrs. Harry
Hale, Mrs. A.
Haley, Misses C. and M.
Hewins, Mrs. A.
Hitchings, Mrs. H. P.
Quincy, Mr. G. W.

Quincy, Dr. H. P.
Quincy, Miss M.
Rodman, Mrs.
Seabury, Rev. and Mrs. J. P.
Stearns, Mrs. G.
Sunday school of Emanuel Church
Sutton, Miss M.
Taff, Mrs.
Tillotson, Miss E.
Wakefield, Mrs. T. H.
Worthington, Mrs. E.
Worthington, Miss C. M.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Albree, Mrs. J.
Benedict, Mrs. M. B.
Burgess, Mr.
Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom
Millis, H. S.
Murdock, Dr.

Pope Manufacturing Co.
Saville, Gaines & Co.
Spurr, H. W.
Steele Edge Stamping and Retrimming Co.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES,

AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

Toward Thanksgiving Dinner.	Durant, Mrs. Wm		\$5 00
1000,00 1,000,000,000 20000	Esterbrook, Mrs. A. T.		5 00
Burgess, Miss M. C \$2 00	Hetch, Mrs. Jacob M.		10 00
	Lovering, Mrs. C. F.		5 00
For Christmas at Boys' Home.	Lutz, Mrs. H. Louise		
		•	5 00
Appleton, Mrs. Wm \$5 00	Merritt, Mrs. G. W		5 00
A Friend (unknown) . I 00	Noyes, Mrs. D. N.		I 00
Beeler, Mr. James 50	P. O. Box 1555		5 00
Briggs, Mrs 5 00	Reed, Mrs. Sarah E.		10 00
Burgess, Mrs. C 3 00	Spaulding, Mrs. M. D.		5 00
Choate, Mrs. C. F 2 00	Stimson, Mrs. F. J.		5 00
Clark, Miss Eleanor 25 00	Wellesley Cong. S. S.		10 00
Colburn, Mrs. Waldo . 1 00	Williams, Mrs. G. F.		5 00
Dedham Cong. S. S 13 00	Thompson, Mrs. A. C.		2 00
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UNDESI	GNATED.		
Glover, Mrs \$2 00	Steppe, Mrs. Jacob .		\$2 00
McKennley, Mrs 5 00	Utley, Mrs. Chas		5 00
Standish, Mrs. L. M 500			

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life membership.

ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies, who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and in her absence, of one of the Vice Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.
- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. 11. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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In Memoriam.

RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF MR. GEORGE H. QUINCY, PASSED AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS, JULY 5, 1895.

The death of Mr. George H. Quincy has brought a sense of grief and loss to the Managers of the Boston Children's Friend Society, which only those who have known of his unselfish and unwearied efforts can enter into. His cheerful co-operation, his generous and timely gifts, his consecrated service as founder of the Dedham Home, call for our recognition of his character, and an expression of the high appreciation in which he was held by the officers of both Homes.

Therefore, they would place in the records this testimony of their profound respect and gratitude for his noble service, and with it the hope that hands as faithful and devoted may take up the work he loved so well.

And deeply sensible of their loss, we tender to his bereaved family our most heartfelt sympathy, in sending them a copy of this slight tribute to his memory.

REPORT.

During the sixty-second year of the Boston Children's Friend Society, the officers have endeavored to continue the work of this Society with the same high standard of service which has been developed by years of efficient management.

As the foreign element in the population of Boston has increased, so the nationality of the children at the Rutland Street Home has changed. In the first years of this Society the children, almost without exception, were of American ancestry, while today many are of foreign parentage, but always Protestant in religion. These children are none the less worthy of considerate care. Their parents, who ask for aid and sympathy today, are as deserving as those of an earlier date, and are fully as faithful in bearing a part of the burden of caring for their children, for of the sixty-six children now at the Rutland Street Home, only ten are entirely dependent upon this Institution for support.

The Committee on Admissions reports that thirty-one have been admitted in the last year and twenty-seven dismissed. Of the number dismissed two girls, who were sisters, have been placed in a most attractive home in Northborough. A brother had been taken to this place a year ago, so that three of a family of four children now live together. One of the older girls who has lived at this Home for fifteen years, and filled the position of seamstress, has been very happily married. But another girl, who has lived with us even longer, died of consumption. She was the Kindergarten teacher.

The Committee on Repairs has found it necessary to make great changes in the plumbing, by renewing many of the pipes which had become soft, and by placing new tanks and several traps where they were needed.

To Dr. W. C. Holyoke we would express our gratitude for his attendance upon the usual cases of sickness, but especially for his kind and efficient care during an epidemic of measles. More than a third of the children were ill, and at such an unfortunate time as to prevent for the third year the May Day Sale. We would acknowledge the services of Dr. F. L. Jack and Dr. E. E. Jack, each of whom performed an operation. Dr. Marion Woodward has given not only her skill as a dentist, but also all the needed materials.

Washington's Birthday is not the only one celebrated by the children. There is the birthday of Mr. Lyman Nichols, which Mrs. John H. Wright commemorates every year in a most acceptable way, with ice cream, cake, and strawberries. Mrs. Frank Fitz invited the children to Wakefield on the birthday of her son. Besides these festival occasions, Dr. Waldron took them to Franklin Park; Mrs. J. Converse Gray entertained several at Christmas; and the Mayor of Boston sent one thousand electric car tickets.

The year at Dedham has been a quiet and happy one, without any event to interfere with the regular life of the Home, where there are twenty-seven boys, four of whom are surrendered until they are twenty-one years of age. Eleven have been admitted and eight dismissed during the year.

Nearly all of the boys have been free from sickness, yet Dr. Babcock has attended a case of rheumatic fever and two of diphtheria. The cause of these latter cases was infection, and was not due to any sanitary imperfection in the building. The Boston Dental College sent two students, who gave a day's service at this Home.

Messrs. Patenaude and Jacobs provided turkeys for the Thanksgiving dinner. The Congregational Church, of Dedham, gave a Christmas feast; and Mrs Fowler invited the boys to a Christmas tree at her home. Miss Worthington collected money to buy fireworks, so that the boys could celebrate the Fourth of July; and through the thoughtfulness of Mr. George H. Quincy they attended the testimonial to Rev. S. F. Smith, D.D., at Music Hall. In addition, the Matron has taken two or three boys for an outing, as a reward for some good conduct.

The educational work has been carried on as usual at both Homes. At Rutland Street, the children attend school in the building, while the boys of the Dedham Home go to the Public School. We thank Deacon S. C. Wilkins for his weekly talks at Rutland Street, and Rev. J. B. Seabury, who has been a constant and faithful friend to the boys.

For industrial development, every girl over ten years of age assists the Matron in some way, and when she is fourteen, each one follows the rule of three months in the laundry, three months with the chamber work, and three months in the kitchen; besides which, she does her own mending. As the boys leave us when they are fourteen, one cannot expect much skilled labor from them, yet each one is trained to be useful in the household, and to do well what he undertakes, if it is only to make a bed or sweep the floor.

As the ladies of every Christian denomination are interested in that form of work undertaken by sewing circles, we would suggest that when these circles meet to plan for the new year and arrange to fill barrels for the Western missionary, that barrels be procured also for the Rutland Street and Dedham Homes, to be filled with fresh clothing and groceries, and that some material be given for the girls to cut and sew. Instead of the communion set donate some crockery, and in place of the pulpit Bible, some books for the school room.

The passing of the years is marked in a sad way by the death of many upon whom we have looked with trust for active service as officers of this Society. Today we miss the efficient aid of Mrs. C. B. Wilson, who has filled the offices of Vice-President and Honorary Director from 1871 to 1894. We mourn also the loss of Mrs. W. W. Whitcomb who was with us for so many years; nor can we any longer depend upon the exceptional fund of information and the helpfulness which Miss Abbie C. Howes so willingly gave. We have lost two of the Board of Advisers: Mr. Charles S. Kendall, who served for years on the Finance Committee, and Mr. J. E. Daniels of the Committee on Repairs. Mr. Alexander Stowell was a generous contributor.

Yet the list is not complete, for we would express a sincere appreciation of the services of Mr. George H. Quincy. He realized the need of a home for boys, and founded the Dedham Home; but he did not consider that this self-imposed task was completed until he had placed this Home on a firm financial basis, with the assistance of the Longwood Minstrels and other helpers. As a token of appreciation which would be pleasing to him, twelve of the older boys of the Dedham Home attended his

funeral services. Although the boys had the first place in his heart, he did not forget the other children at Rutland Street, where he was seen last Christmas, happy because they were happy, and pleased with everything that delighted them. During all the time that he has been associated with this Institution he has shown himself to be a man of rare generosity, giving liberally not only of his money, but also of his thought, his time, and his sympathy.

Now the work of the Boston Children's Friend Society calls upon its remaining supporters for a broader spirit of charity, and an increase of gifts beyond that of any other year, for, notwith-standing that we gratefully acknowledge the receipt of five legacies, yet the income from this source is not sufficient to enlarge the work or to defray the necessary expenses.

Although our corps of helpers has been reduced, we begin another year with hope and confidence, looking to each one of you for some needed assistance, for that encouragement which you will give by your hearty co-operation with us, and for that interest in this work of beneficence which will be shown by the new friends whom you will bring with you,—friends who will make this Society more widely known, and who will fill in some measure the places of those who have gone.

In behalf of the Managers,

ELLA A. LELAND,

Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GIRLS' HOME, 1895.

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Mrs. C. D. Gould,						I 00	
Mr. James S. Stone,						10 00	
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Mrs. Wm. Fosdick, Mrs. Geo. P. Bingham,	•			•			
		•	•	•		5 00	
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Mr. Albert Gay,						10 00	
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Friends of Union Churc	ch, .					5 00	
Marie S. Rhodes, .						5 00	
							877 34
Error settlement on acc	ount of	hard	war	€,			70
							\$14.242.22
Boys' home,							\$14,342 33 2,573 07
D.1 6 37	0						\$16,915 40
Balance from Nov.	1, 1894	,		•			535 21
							\$17,450 61

BOYS' HOME, 1895.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{Wm}}.$ Q. Wales, Treasurer, in Account with the Boys' Home, Dedham.

Receipts:—	
Board of Children,	. \$895 75
Income from invested funds,	. 947 00
Autumn festival held by ladies at Dedham,	. 100 00
Donations: —	
Christmas donations, \$163 09	
Less spent,	
Chester W. Kingsley, 100 00	
Christmas appeal,	
H. H. Hunnewell & Sons, 10 00	
Albert A. Pope, annual,	
Elijah A. Morse, annual, 200 00	
Congregational Sabbath School, of	
Dedham,	
	630 32
	\$2,573 07
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EXPENDITURES OF BOYS' HOME:-	
Current expenses,	
Repairs,	
Fuel, 69 00	
	\$5,249 58
EXPENDITURES OF GIRLS' HOME:—	
Current expenses,	
Thanksgiving Dinner, provided by "Geo. O.	
Hovey Fund,"	
Atlantic National Bank loan paid, 2,000 00	
Interest on loan, 40 34	
Repairs,	
Printing,	
Fuel, 567 44	
Insurance,	# 10.40F FF
D 111	\$10,495 55
Boys' Home,	5,249 58
	\$15,745 13
Balance in bank,	1,705 48
	\$17,450 61

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' Home and Boys' Home, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of seventeen hundred and five and $\frac{48}{100}$ dollars (\$1,705.48), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

J. V. SPAULDING, Auditors. S. S. BLANCHARD,

BOSTON, Oct. 28, 1895.

Bills paid, November 1, 1895, and an unpaid plumber's bill when paid, leaves the balance in the bank reduced to a few dollars.

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	·	\$2,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,		
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,		1,000 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the "Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,		5,500 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," received——, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869		
ceived——, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869	"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capital fund of said institution for investment and income in support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,		
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,		4,170 00
support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,		
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16, 1876,		1,000 00
Society forever," received May 16, 1876,		
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,		
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,		3,000 00
Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,		100 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879,	From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for	
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8, 1879,	Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25, 1884,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25, 1884,		500.00
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April 25, 1884,		300 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,		
permanent investments of the Society, the income only thereof to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,	25, 1884,	5,000 00
of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24, 1887,	1 7	
24, 1887,	*	
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,		5,000 00
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known as the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,		J,
Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,		
shall be used for the support of the Society," received June, 1888,	· ·	
June, 1888,		
Amount carried forward,		5,000 00
	Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on	
interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of	
said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,	
1889,	500 oc
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to	
be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the	
children, received Dec. 5, 1889,	100 00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as the	
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund,"	6,500 00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known as	
the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the in-	
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham, .	1,200 00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income	
only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet	
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893,	2,000 00
From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which	
is to be used for the purposes of the Home,	1,000 00
	\$45,070 00

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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The object of this Charitable Institution is to aid destitute children. They can be surrendered to the care of the Society; or, by payment of a nominal price for board, will be cared for until their friends can provide for them.

Board must be paid two weeks in advance, on entering; and deserted children will be placed in the care of the city.

Only Protestant children are received, as there are many Catholic Homes, and we have more Protestant applicants than we can help.

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To be admitted, a child

Must be in good health;

Must be able to walk;

Must have been vaccinated;

Must not be over nine years old, if a boy.

Must not be over twelve years old, if a girl.

The Committee on Admission meet every Monday morning, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock; and must see each child before it is admitted.

Boston, December, 1890.

DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME,

FROM NOV. 1, 1894, TO NOV. 1, 1895.

CLOTHING.

Adams, Mrs. A. J. Albree, Mrs. John. Baxter, Mrs. H. W. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Boston Branch Needlework Guild of America. Boston Sewing Circle. Chardon Street Home. Daniels, Mrs. J. E.

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For Berries.	Wright, Mrs. Anna M., 20 00
Glover, Mrs. H. R., 2 00	For Gingham.
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Fosdick, Mrs., 1 00	For School Books.
Hall, Mrs. M. L., 25 00	Hall, Mrs. M. L., 3 00
General Expenses.	For Stockings.
Converse, Mrs. Costello C. 5 00	Hall, Mrs. M. L., 50 00
Daniels, J. E., 5 00	
Daniels, Mrs. J. E., 10 00	For the Older Girls.
Goodwin, Mrs., 5 00	Capen, Miss H., 5 00

DONATIONS FOR BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

From Nov. 1, 1894, to Nov. 1, 1895.

CLOTHING.

Bullard, Mrs. Hovey, C. F. & Co. Lutz, Mrs. H. Louise. McDonald, Mrs. Shuman & Co.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

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CONSTITUTION.

- ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.
- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.

- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures, with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.
- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year, they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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* All admissions to either Home are made by this Committee, which meets every Monday morning, at 48 Rutland Street, at 11 o'clock.

HOME FOR BOYS, LOCATED AT DEDHAM.

SUPERINTENDENT. Mrs. N. M. DEAN.

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In Memoriam.

Died, November 6, 1896, Dr. W. C. Holyoke, the beloved physician who for nearly twenty years has given faithful service to the children of this Home. His gentle loving manner, his kindly smile and hopeful words, won the hearts of the little ones. He loved children, and they loved him in return.

The managers hereby record their feeling of loss in the departure of one upon whom they constantly called with great confidence in his skill and readiness to help. Many have gone out from this home during all these years who will hear with grief of this friend's death, and bless with us his memory.

REPORT.

The Boston Children's Friend Society offers the following report of its sixty-third year of service spent in sheltering and caring for children whose parents were unable to provide a suitable home.

The Society, consisting of patrons and officers, still conducts the Homes on Rutland Street and in Dedham according to the design of the founders, the principles of which are the same as govern family life and have an aim and an influence essentially different from those of a public institution. It gives to children of little or no means of support the advantages of a private school and yet requires of them that kind of work which is done at home. The children confided to its care are surrounded by the Christian influences of church and Sunday school and are taught those refinements of life for which the home is eminently distinguished.

This governing principle of a family life has been greatly strengthened by the constancy of our patrons, sixty of whom have contributed annually for the last twenty-five years, while many others who had given liberally during life still provide money through their legacies. Furthermore, the family life has been fostered by the many years of service given by its officers who, because of their long terms, become well acquainted with the children and take a personal interest in their lives. During sixty-two years there have been only five presidents and but five treasurers since the Society was founded. Thirteen persons have served upon the board of officers for a period of thirty years and twice that number of persons for twenty-five years. Mrs. Martin L. Hall has been the recording secretary for twenty consecutive years.

These many years of gratuitous work, if calculated in dollars and cents alone, represent an immense saving to the institution and in consequence an enlarging of the field of labor. In this connection the Society is indebted to Mr. W. C. Holyoke, M. D., for his professional services, which have been rendered with great

ability and given with untiring devotion for twenty years. The Society is also indebted to Miss Marion Woodward, D.D.S., for dental services. Nor will we forget those officers who would gladly have continued as active helpers if their lives had been spared. Such was Mrs. Frederic J. Stimson, one of the managers for the Dedham Home, who died this summer in Venice. May these few names suggest those of other persons who have rendered valuable assistance, some of whom, by long continued kindness and thoughtfulness, have given the children many happy holidays and have made Thanksgiving and Christmas days to be anticipated.

At the Rutland Street Home there have been only a few changes during the year. Miss Hattie A. Hooper has returned, after a few years absence, to take charge of the school. It is gratifying to know that a teacher in the public schools of Lynn, after examining some of the girls, said that our children were advanced farther in their studies than scholars of the same age who attend the public schools of that city. Miss Bertha Koenig, who has lived in this Home for fourteen years, has been educated to be a kindergarten teacher and conducts that department of the school.

The Committee on Admissions report the following: —

				Total.
Admissions, 28 girls, 5 boys				33
Readmission, 1 girl				I
Dismissals, 17 girls, 5 boys				22
Present Number				63

Of the number dismissed three boys have gone to the Dedham Home, but the other children have returned to a parent or some other near relative.

There has been but little sickness. Several cases of scarlet fever were taken immediately to the City Hospital, so the disease did not spread among the children. These cases were due probably to the carelessness of a visitor, but the Home will be in danger always from this source, as it is impossible to deny the parents and friends of the children an opportunity to visit them.

Taking the year as a whole, there is great cause for thankfulness that during these months when personal incomes have been reduced The Boston Children's Friend Society has not been obliged to refuse admission to applicants from any inability to

provide for them. Our May Day Sale, which has been prevented for the three last years by sickness among the children, was resumed, and gave the patrons an opportunity to see the children, besides adding \$750 to the treasury.

Although the form of work undertaken by this Society cannot claim the popular enthusiasm which is given to some forms of charitable endeavor, yet it appeals to the noblest motives for its support; for who, remembering the joys of his own household and the blessings of his family life, can refuse or neglect to give toward the support of a home for those who otherwise would have no family life? Or who, remembering the ties which bind parents and children, brothers and sisters, can be insensible to the appeal of these unfortunate but rarely unworthy children. We trust to receive the continued support of those friends already interested in the work, and expect that the design of the founders will be carried on for years to come by the addition of many new annual and life members.

In behalf of the Managers,

ELLA A. LELAND,

Corresponding Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEDHAM HOME.

The members of the committee for the Dedham Home are pleased to report this Home in a healthy, prosperous condition. We wish all the friends of the boys could see them as we do, playing around the grounds, helping in the garden and house, or gathered in the playrooms at their games, while their faces show the good home and care the matrons are giving them.

They receive the advantages of the public schools, and the Sabbath finds them at church and Sunday school. We are very much indebted to Mr. Seabury for his talks and interest in the boys, to the Christian Endeavor Society of his church, some of whose members visit the Home every Sunday afternoon to sing with the boys, and also to his Sunday school, which contributes the Christmas dinner.

On Christmas, presents of games or books, candy and nuts, were given to each boy. Thanksgiving and Fourth of July were celebrated each in its appropriate way. During the summer vacation every boy had an outing. Some made visits to their friends and others were taken to City Point, where they spent a pleasant afternoon. Two boys had this latter pleasure given them as a reward for excellent composition on George Washington. This prize Mrs. Dean offered, as an inducement to study and quiet occupation during the hot summer days.

We have many kind friends to thank for their interest in this Home. Among others, we would thank Dr. Babcock for his services, which he so freely and generously gives us; also our Dedham storekeepers, for the advantages and gifts they have given us. This autumn the Dedham Electric Company wished to place a row of poles, with cables, along our street. As half of it is the property of the Home, the board of advisers were able to make an agreement with the Electric Company, which will be a financial help to us for ten years.

Our garden and orchard have been particularly productive this year, adding much to the variety of the tables of both homes. Twelve boys have been dismissed this year. Eight returned to their parents, one went to a relative, while waiting for room at Good Will Farm, and three of our surrendered boys have been sent to good homes, which we have been able to find them, one in Florida, another in Maine, and the other in Vermont. They all go to school and give satisfaction to their new friends. Their letters to Mrs. Dean and the boys show them to be happy and contented. As most of these boys dismissed were our older ones, it has made a great change in the Home. The matrons greatly miss the help the older boys were able to give, but are trying to train the new ones to take their places. We have admitted nine, so have at present but twenty-eight in the Home, there being two vacancies. Can we not feel encouraged by this year's work?

At the meetings of the managers the presence and help of Mrs. F. J. Stimson is greatly missed. For the last two years she has bought our Christmas presents. Her plants are among those which help make the sitting-room cheery and homelike. We feel that her death is a great loss to our Home, a vacancy which cannot be easily filled.

ANNA F. HODGDON,

Secretary Dedham Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GIRLS' HOME, 1896.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE GIRLS' HOME. RECEIPTS: -Board of children, . . . \$1,767 25 Income from invested funds, 1,996 15 From Assistant Treasurer, 827 18 Atlantic National Bank, loan, . . . 2,000 00 Atlantic National Bank, rebate interests, 3 33 Thomas Weston, interest on Creech note, 19 00 Refund State Bank tax, 76 OI Income bequest, Mehitable Gay, . . . 15 00 On account of principal of loan to the estate of John Revere, 1,000 00 LEGACIES ---Nelson S. Bartlett, John P. Putnan, Hiram Rich (on account of residuary share), executors of the will of Samuel E. Sawyer, to be safely invested as a permanent fund, the income only to be used in such manner as will best promote the interest and prosperity of the Joseph B. Glover, residuary legatee under the will of Albert Glover, for the general purposes of the institution, . . . 250 00 Geo. White and F. C. Welch, trustees of the estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875. A permanent fund, the income only to be used for the purposes of the institution, . 20,000 00 Under will Edw. Harper, Boston, through Thos. J. Emery, being thirteen per cent. of legacy 130 00 22,587 33 DONATIONS: -Sabbath School, Second Congregational Church \$20 00 Old South Church, annual, . . 223 47 For Christmas. 204 25 447 72

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AUDITORS' STATEMENT.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' Home and Boys' Home and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of twenty thousand three hundred and fifty-nine and $\frac{43}{100}$ dollars (\$20,359 43), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

JOHN V. SPAULDING, S. STILLMAN BLANCHARD, Auditors.

Boston, Oct. 29, 1896.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

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PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the year 1853,	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, "to be known as the	W
Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	1,000 00
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
ceived—, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869,	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capi-	
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on inter-	-,
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said	
Society forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000 00
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to	300 00
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8,	
1879,	500 00
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	
25, 1884,	5,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the permanent investments of the Society, the income only there-	
of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec.	
24, 1887,	5,000 00
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, "to be known	
as the Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the	
Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only shall be used for the support of the Society," received	
June, 1888,	5,000 00
Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770	00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on		
interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of		
said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,		
1889,	_	00
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to		
be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the		
children, received Dec. 5, 1889,		00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as the		
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund,"		00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known as		
the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the in-		
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham,		00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income		
only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet		
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893,	2,000 0	00
From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which		
is to be used for the purposes of the Home,	1,000 0	00
	\$45,070	00

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of——, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute a life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty—or, in her absence, of a Vice-President—to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take

charge of the collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.

- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
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- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
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* All admissions to either Home are made by this Committee, which meets every Monday morning, at 48 Rutland Street, at 11 o'clock.

HOME FOR BOYS, LOCATED AT DEDHAM.

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REPORT.

The Boston Children's Friend Society has added the sixty-fourth year to its history, and although the year has not been marked by any unusual gain or advance, it has been one of prosperity and success. Even if the amount of money received has not been enough to enlarge the work of this Society, it has been sufficient to care for the usual number of children. There has been some serious illness, yet the health of those who lived in the Homes has been good generally. And, while there have been some changes in the classification of the officers, those persons who have been associated with this Society for many years as its officers still conduct its management.

Dr. W. C. Holyoke, who was the attending physician at the Rutland Street Home for twenty years, died a few days after our last annual meeting. His individual character, his skilful advice, his faithful attendance upon the children, which nothing prevented, cannot be esteemed too highly, and he will always be held in grateful and honored remembrance. Dr. S. H. Ayer has generously consented to accept the position of attending physician, and his valuable services have already endeared him to all. Among sixty children there is usually some one who is more or less ill, especially as many of the younger children are not well and strong when they are brought to the Home. Such a one was Ethel Chittick, who, a short time after her admission, developed a case of diphtheria. She was taken to the City Hospital, where she died.

Extensive repairs have been made on the building 48 Rutland Street, during 1896 and 1897. The work on the plumbing, which was begun in 1896, was continued in this fiscal year, until all the plumbing was renewed, and it is now in perfect condition. The method used for heating the building was insufficient, and in some respects was considered dangerous; so the furnace, with its attachments and appliances, was removed, and steam

heating apparatus introduced. Mr. Wales, Mr. Gray, and Mrs. Potter received several estimates, and awarded the contract to the Walworth Company, whose bid was most favorable to this Society. Mr. Wales gave special attention to the work as it progressed. Furthermore, the City Building Commissioners have issued an order that a fire escape be placed on the outside of the building. The officers felt that if any accident should happen from a fire the management might be censured for this omission; so Mr. Wales is now making arrangements for this addition to the house, which he hopes soon to have completed. All these improvements have added much to the expenses of the Rutland Street Home; but no other important alterations have been made, nor any changes in its administration or government.

Kind friends have given the children the customary entertainment at Thanksgiving and gifts at Christmas, and during the summer months have taken them to drive and to visit in the country.

The total number at the Home remains about the same as last year, sixty-six. Twenty-six have been dismissed, twenty-nine admitted, and two re-admitted. In admitting children to the Homes the committee were many times perplexed and hindered by one of the rules of the Society, which read that "only orphans and children who have but one parent living and able to work should be received." Often an application for admission is made for a child with both parents living, but whose father is unwilling, although perhaps not unable, to support it, and who is living in some unknown locality. This places the child in the position he would hold if his father were dead; so the Managers voted to efface this rule and leave the decision of each case to the committee having the matter in charge.

Two of the older girls have reached the age of eighteen, when they are free to leave the Home if they wish to do so, or they can remain and receive some remuneration for their services. Both the girls prefer to remain, and they assist with the work at the Home while they are preparing to support themselves. One has been admitted to the New England Conservatory of Music for a year's study, free of charge, and the other one is attending Burdett College. Her tuition is paid by the Hon. Elijah A. Morse.

The education of the children progresses satisfactorily. Miss Hooper, who returned last year to take charge of the school, remains this year as the teacher, with a small increase in her salary. Miss Koenig, who came to this Home when a child, continues with the care of the kindergarten department.

Among the children in the kindergarten department and in the nursery there are constant changes, as only half the number who come stay more than a year. But sixteen of the older girls have lived in the Home three years, and only nine among the sixty-six have remained five years or more.

This statement illustrates the peculiar work of the Boston Children's Friend Society. Children are surrendered to this Society and homes are found for them. This is done also by such institutions as the New England Home for Little Wanderers and the Children's Aid Society; yet this is not the chief purpose, but rather an exceptional instance.

The chief purpose of this Society is to assist worthy parents with the care of their children. The parents, even when quite poor, generally pay something for the support of their children, although it is an inadequate amount. The fact that this amount is so small, together with the other statement that the children remain so short a time at the Home, indicate that in most cases the parents need and are worthy of the assistance given, for they do not intend to have their children live at the expense of the general public. The people who make applications for their children are poor and unfortunate, but in the main honest and self-respecting; and if the Boston Children's Friend Society assumes the charge of the children of such parents, this Society should provide for them proper care, a suitable education, and such practical training as he or she is capable of receiving. Most especially they should have a religious instruction and a spiritual guidance that will endure, as the later years in the life of the children may be passed under very different influences.

What are the financial resources for such a charitable enterprise? Most of the legacies are received to be invested, and the interest only is to be used. The income from this source pays about twenty per cent. of the expenses. The other legitimate sources of income are as follows: board paid by parents for children, annual subscriptions, life membership fees, donations, and

the May day sale. The amount received for the board of children and from annual subscriptions has decreased, while the amount from the May day sale has remained for several years about \$750, until this year, when it increased to \$830. These sources have not been sufficient for the last five years to meet the expenses, which have increased about \$1,000 each year, to say nothing of the extra expenses in 1896 and 1897, on account of the extensive repairs. For the last five years there has been an annual difference of \$3,000 between the legitimate income and the expenses of the two Homes. This Society has been able to pay its debts because of undesignated legacies, which have been received and used for current expenses. This year such legacies were paid from the estates of Mrs. Sarah D. Wilson, Mr. Wm. H. Learned, and Mrs. Sarah B. Hyde. This source of income is uncertain, and if this Society is to be placed on a firm, financial basis, the invested reserve fund must be increased, or the amount of cash receipts from the regular sources must be enlarged. This can be done. And we ask the patrons of the Boston Children's Friend Society to place its aim before the public, to bring the beneficent purpose to the attention of acquaintances, to spread its reports among charitable persons and among those who can use them in the settlement of estates. Then this Society will be able to increase its funds and to extend its operations.

In behalf of the Managers,

ELLA A. LELAND,

Corresponding Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEDHAM HOME.

Again the Dedham committee can report our boys' Home in a good condition. We have had but little sickness this past year. A few of the boys had whooping cough, which left one of the little ones in rather a delicate condition, but his mother at that time claimed him, so we were relieved of the care of him.

Our kind doctor, Dr. Babcock, makes frequent visits, doing a great deal for the healthfulness of the Home.

During the year seven boys have been dismissed to their parents, leaving room for seven new ones, one of whom came from the Rutland Street nursery to join two brothers already with us. We have given the last one of the surrendered boys to the care of the Children's Aid Society, feeling that they were better able to care for him than we were.

One of our matrons has recently visited the public schools, which the boys attend. She reported from the teachers that they were the cleanest boys in the school, as well as the most studious, respectful, and the best behaved. One of the teachers said she would like to tell the directors what nice boys came from the Home. We had this summer a vacation school. A schoolroom was improvised in the hospital, where for three hours a day the boys were kept out of the hot sun, busy and amused by Miss Smith, a graduate of the Bridgewater Normal School.

One of the pleasantest features of the summer months is the interest the boys take in their garden plots. A few feet of land is assigned to each boy, which he plants as he pleases. Marigolds and mignonette seem to be favorites. Michael, our gardener, found it necessary to restrict them to flowers, as raw, green vegetables seem to be considered a great luxury by the boys.

We celebrated our anniversary the 11th of June by a fete, in the form of a garden party, by which we were able to add a good sum to the treasury, through the kindness of many friends.

Our Christmas donations, after giving the boys their usual Christmas treat, were spent in putting two of the dormitories and the upper entry in good repair: pulling off the old defaced paper, painting the walls, and covering the floor with linoleum, making them much cleaner and more attractive.

Again we would thank Mr. Seabury and the members of his Christian Endeavor Society for their interest in talking and singing with the boys.

The aim of our work is found in its name, The Boy's Home, Mrs. Dean and Miss Russell trying for the time, very successfully, to be mothers to the boys. This large dwelling, formerly a private house, now furnishes a happy home for thirty boys, who might otherwise have to care in a great measure for themselves.

ANNA F. HODGDON,

Secretary Dedham Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GIRLS' HOME, 1897.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE GIRLS' HOME.

Receipts:—		
Board of children,		\$1,766 60 1,453 17 639 51 329 03 74 50
Legacies: —		
Thomas Weston, one-fifteenth of residuary share J. S. Ambrose estate, . \$310 71 Less Expense, 8 71	\$302 00	
Geo. White and F. C. Welch, trustees estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875, to be	" 3	
added to amount received July 1, 1896, Horace G. Allen, executor will of Sarah D. Wil-	6,088 72	
son, of Boston,	1,000 00	
Guy Lamkin, executor will of Wm. H. Learned, Albert and Edw. P. Stone, executors will of James S. Stone, to be added to permanent	1,000 00	
fund, the income only to be used, . Messrs. Bartlett, Putnam, and Rich, executors will of Samuel E. Sawyer, to be added to	500 00	
previous bequest in permanent fund, Messrs. Blume, Lincoln, and Bates, executors	98 10	
will of Mrs. Sarah B. Hyde, on account,	500 00	# 00.0
Donations:—		\$9,488 82
Sabbath School, Second Congregational Church,	\$284 23	
Dorchester,	20 00	
For Christmas:—		
James J. Herrick,	10 00	
N. S. Hotchkiss,	10 00	
Emma M. Chick,	5 00	
A. A. Pope,	50 00	
Almira C. Merritt,	15 00	
Mary F. Walworth,	5 00	
H. G. Jordan & Co.,	10 00 5 00	
Meredeth & Grew.	10 00	
Meredeth & Grew,	25 00	
Amounts carried forward,	\$449 23	\$13,751 63

Amount brought forward,		\$13,751 63
Donations: — Continued.	.44	
Amount brought forward,	\$449 23 . 10 00	
H. M. Grover,	. 2 00	
Massachusetts Charitable Society,	. 50 00	
Clara J. Clapp,	. 2 50	
Clara J. Clapp,	. 2 00	
Mr. S. P. Hibbard,	. 5 00	
Pauline A. Durant,	. 5 00	
Mrs. Joseph Sawyer, golden wedding gift, .	. 100 00	
		625 73
MAY DAY SALE:—		
Tables:—		
Fancy articles,	. \$70 65	
Candy,	. 38 85	
Café	. 47 00	
Toy,	. 8 55	
Flower,	. 20 00	
P	. 9 00	
Sundries,	. 205 95	
Donations:—	. 203 93	
Mrs. M. L. Hall,	. 100 00	
Mrs. M. C. Ferris,	. 25 00	
Mrs. F. F. H.,	. 25 00	
Mr. A. J. Adams,	. 20 00	
Mr. A. H. Allen,	. 10 00	
Miss Stetson,	. 10 00	
Mr. F. S. P.,	. 10 00	
Mr. C. H. P.,	. 10 00	
Miss Ferris,	. 10 00	
Mr. G. G. Hale,	. 5 00	
Mrs. L. C. Goodwin,	. 5 00 50 00	
Mrs. M. J. Converse,	. 50 00	
Mr. Francis R. Jones,	. 15 00	
Mr. Francis R. Jones,	. 2 00	
Primary Department, First Parish Sabba	th	
School, Swampscott,	3 00	
		831 29
		\$15,208 65
Expenditures:—		
Current Expenses . Thanksgiving dinner, provided by Geo. O. Hove	. \$7,122 92 y	
Fund,	. 35 00	
Repairs,	. 1,407 05	
Printing,	. 87 75	
Fuel,	. 531 39	
Investments,	. 25,794 52	
	\$34,978 63	

BOYS' HOME, 1897.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

RECEIPTS:—						
Board of Children, .						\$878 05
Income from invested fu						498 64
Mrs. M. C. S. Quincy, de	onat	ion,				25 00
T. E. Bowman & Co., lo	an p	aid i	n ful	1, .		4,000 00
Congregational Sabbath	Sch	ool,	Ded	ham,		26 00
Christmas donations,					. \$241 70	
Concert,					. 12 00	
Fair and lawn party,					. 206 45	
Dedham Electric Co.,					. 75 00	
						535 15
						\$5,962 84
Expenditures:						
Current expenses, .					. \$4,331 61	
Repairs,					(
Fuel,					567 81	
					\$5,530 65	
		CITA	IMAI	27		
		SUN	1MAI	CY.		
Balance from Nov. 1, 1896,					. \$20,359 43	
Income Girls' Home, .					. 15,208 65	
Income Boys' Home,					. 5,962 84	
						\$41,530 92
Expenses Girls' Home, .					. \$34,978 63	1.
Expenses Boys' Home,					0.2.	
Balance in bank,					. 1,021 64	
						\$41,530 92

AUDITORS' STATEMENT.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' Home and Boys' Home and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of one thousand twenty-one and $\frac{64}{100}$ dollars (\$1,021.64), which is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

S. STILLMAN BLANCHARD, Auditors. John V. Spalding,

BOSTON, OCT. 29, 1897.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

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	Mrs. Hardy,										2	00	
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PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
year 1853,	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, to be known as the	
"Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	3,3
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," re-	-,
ceived —, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869,	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capi-	4,-,-
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in	
support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on inter-	1,000 00
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said	
Society forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	3,000 00
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for	100 00
Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to	300 00
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8,	
1879,	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	300 00
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	
25, 1884,	5,000 00
From the estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	3,000 00
permanent investments of the Society, the income only there-	
of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24,	
1887,	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an	3,000 00
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, to be known as	
the "Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the	
Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only	
shall be used for the support of the Society," received	
June, 1888,	5,000 00
Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,	
r889,	500 00
dren, received Dec. 5, 1889,	100 00
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund,"	6,500 00
the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the in-	
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham,	1,200 00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet	
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893, From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which	3,000 00
is to be used for the purposes of the Home, From the Estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875, a permanent fund, the income only to be used for the purposes	1,000 00
of the institution,	26,088 72
From the Estate of Samuel E. Sawyer, to be safely invested as a permanent fund, the income only to be used in such man- ner as will best promote the interest and prosperity of the	,
Society,	2,305 43
From the Estate of James S. Stone, to be added to the permanent fund, the income only to be used,	500 00
rund, the meeting to be used,	
	\$74,964 15

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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Mrs. H. C. Rand,	\$2 00	Mrs. J. H. Converse,		\$2 00
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Primary Class North Avenue		Mr. C. W. Stetson,		3 00
Baptist Church,	5 00			\$39 00

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Miss M. B. Means,		2 00	Mrs. E. S. Merrihew,		2 00
Mrs. J. W. Field,		3 00	Mrs. A. Morse,		2 00
Mrs. T. B. Townsend,		5 00	Mrs. J. Alfred Tucker,		2 00
Mrs. O. F. Rogers,		2 00	Mr. S. T. Snow,		5 00
Mrs. Elbridge Torrey,		10 00	Mrs. S. T. Snow, .		2 00
					\$50 00

Total, \$621.

DONATIONS FOR THE MAY DAY FESTIVAL.

Adams, Mr. H. J. Adams, Mrs. W. B. Albree, Mrs. John. Alford, Mrs. O. H. Bachelor, Miss Maude. Baker, Miss. Baker, Mrs. Jesse Y. Baker, Walter, Co. Baker, Mrs. William E. Bates, Mr. Henry W. Bates, Mrs. Jacob. Beal, Miss. Benedict, Mrs. W. G. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Bolles, Miss Dorothy F. Bolles, Mr. Matthew. Bowker, Mrs. J. Breed, Mrs. Wm. Brown, Mrs. Charles. Brown, Mrs. S. N. Bryant, Mrs. J. D. Buffum, Mr. Charles. Butler, Mrs. C. S. Byam, Mrs. E. G. Capen, Mrs. W. E. Carter, Mrs. G. E. Cellarius, Mr. Chick, Mrs. I. W. Chick, Miss Mabel. Clapp, Mrs. H. C. Clark, Mrs. C. Peter. Conant, The Misses. Connell, Miss M. J. Converse, Mr. C. C. Converse, Mrs. C. C. Converse, Mr. E. S. Converse, Mrs. E. S. Cushing, Miss. Daniels, Mrs. John E. Day, Miss Annie F.

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Pray, Mr. Benj. S.
Proctor, Mrs. H. H.
Quincy, Mrs. G. G.
Quincy, Mrs. G. H.
Rand, Mrs.
Rand, Mrs. H. C.
Reece, Mrs. John.
Rice Kendall Co.
Richardson, Mrs. J. B.
Robbins, Mrs. Franklin.
Robinson, Mrs. W.
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Rust, Mrs. Wm. A.
Sawyer, Mrs. Arthur.

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Wales, Mrs. W. Q.
Walker, Mrs. Nathaniel U.
Warren, Mrs. Fred.
Wason, Mrs. E.
Whiting, Mrs. G. O.
Wheelock, Mrs. M. E.
Wight, Mrs. B. F.
Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs.
Williams, Mrs. Henry J.
Winslow, Mrs. William.
Woods, The Misses.
Woodworth, Mrs. A. S.
Worthley, Mrs.

SPECIAL CASH DONATIONS FOR THE MAY DAY FESTIVAL.

		"	Mrs. F. S. Hooper, Infant Sunday School	
Mrs. A. H. Allen, .		. 10 00	Swampscott,	3 00
Miss Lillie Ferris, .		. 10 00	Mr. F. R. Jones,	15 00
Mrs. M. C. Ferris, .		. 25 00	Miss S. M. Stetson, .	. 10 00
Mrs. L. C. Goodwin,		. 5 00	Mr. C. H. P.,	. 10 00
Mr. G. G. Hall, .		. 5 00	Mr. F. S. P.,	10 00
Mrs. M. L. Hall, .	٠	. 100 00		\$250 00

DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME,

FROM NOV. 1, 1896, TO NOV. 1, 1897.

CLOTHING.

Boston Branch of Needlework Guild of America.
Clapp, Mrs. Dwight M.
Cotton, Miss Alice.
Cutting, Mrs. C. A.
Davis, Miss Mabel.
Dunham, Mrs.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.

Gregerson, Miss N. S.

Hall, Mrs. M. L.,

Hall, Mrs. Maurice A.

Hayden, Mr.

Hyde, Mrs. H. D.

Krebs, Mrs. F. H.

Lane, Mrs. Jonathan A. Norcross, Miss Ida.

Sewing Circle of Shawmut Church. Sewing Society of the Immanuel

Church.

Society of Newbury, Vt., through

Mrs. Louise F. Pillsbury. Sprague, Mrs. E. H.

Strong, Mrs. Chas. P.

Wales, Mrs. Wm. L.

Wiley, Miss Henrietta.

Wiley, Mrs. J. H.

Woodberry, Mrs.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bolles, Mr. Richard.
Boston Young Men's Christian Union.
Deming, Rev. M. R.
Gay, Mrs. Albert.
Gregerson, Miss N. S.
Hooper, Miss Hattie A.

Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.
Perkins, Miss Clara.
Proctor, Mrs. H. H.
Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph.
Shawmut Sunday School.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.

PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

Brimbecom, Mrs. Nathaniel.
Burr & Grohe.
Dedham Home.
Freeman, Mr. James E.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.
Hall, Mrs. H. S.
Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S.
Hyde, Mrs. H. D.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Lane, Mrs. Jonathan A.

Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.
Loomis, Mrs. E. G.
May, Mr. Frederick.
Nichols, Mr. Lyman.
New England Home.
Quincy, Mrs. George H.
Rhodes Brothers.
Risser, Miss May.
Wright, Mrs. A. M.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS, AND FLOWERS.

Bagge, Miss Segrid.
Blake, Mrs. George Baty.
Cheney, G. S., & Co.
Gay, Mrs. Albert.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.
Gregerson, Miss N. S.
Hyde, Mrs. H. D.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Leyden Congregational Church of
Brookline.

Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.
Peirce, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank.
Roney, Miss Helen.
Sprague, Mrs. E. H.
Strong, Mrs. Charles P.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.
Wiley, Mrs.
Woodberry, Mrs.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES.

· For Thanksgiving.	Ferris, Miss,		00
For Frosted Cakes.	Fiske, Mrs. J. N., .		00
Lincoln, Mr. Joshua, \$2 00	Fosdick, Mrs. E. F.,	I	00
	Friend, through Mrs. Jona-		
For School.	than Lane, .	5	00
Bingham, Mrs. George P., . 5 00	Hotchkiss, Mr. Nathaniel,	5	00
For the Fourth of July.	Hotchkiss, Mrs. Nathaniel, .	5	00
	Humphrey, Mrs. William F.,	I	00
Albree, Mrs. John, 1 00	Jordan, Mr. H. G.,	ΙO	00
General Expenses.	Kingsley, Mr. C. H.,		00
Durant, Mrs. Henry F., 500	Lincoln, Mr. W. H.,	5	00
Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W., . 1 00	Lyons, Mr. C. F.,		
	Meredith & Grew,		
Hall, H. S., 25 00	Merritt, Mrs. G. W.,		
Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph, . 100 00	Morss, Mrs. C. A.,		
Town, Miss Mary E., 1 00	Pope, Mr. Albert A.,		
Willing Girls' Club of North Avenue Baptist Church,	Shapleigh, Mrs. S. C.		
Cambridge, 3 00	Spaulding, Emily S.,		
\$135.00	Spaulding, Estate of John P.,		
For Christmas.	Standish, Mrs. L. M.,		
Adams, Mrs. Walter B., \$5 00	Stetson, Mrs. A. W.,		
Alford, Mrs. O. H., 5 00	Stone, Mr. James S.,		
Bolles, Mr. Matthew, 1 00	Tapley, Mr. C. M. P.,		
Chick, Mrs. I. W., 5 00	Walworth, Mrs. A. C.,		
Converse, Mr. and Mrs. C. C., 10 00	Whitehead, Miss M.,		00
	Wright, Mrs. Anna M.,		
Estabrook, Mr. A. F., . 5 00			
Faulkner & Page, 5 00	*	299	00

DONATIONS FOR BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

FROM NOV. 1, 1896, TO NOV. 1, 1897.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Baker, Mrs. C. P. Dedham Boys' Club. Delano, Mrs. H. C. Gaffney, Miss. Hovey, C. F., & Co. Krebs, Mrs. F. H. Quincy, Mrs. H. P. Waldron, Rev. D. W.

CASH.

Baker, Mr. C.,		- ;	\$10 O	00]	Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua,			\$ 1	00
Bolles, Mr. Matthew,			1 0	00	Lovering, Mrs. C. T.,			5	00
Bremer, Mrs. J. L., .			10 0	00	Meredith & Grew, .			10	00
Briggs, Mrs. C. E., .			2 0	0	Meredith, Mrs. J. H.,			2	00
Browne, Mrs. Geo., .			3 0	00	Merritt, Mrs. Geo. W.,			5	00
Cheney, Rev. Wm. F.,			1 0	00	Paul, Mr. Edward C.,			2	00
Chick, Mrs. I. W., .			5 0	00	Pope, Mr. A. A.,			50	00
Clapp, Mrs. E. E., .			1 0	00	Prince, Miss M. E., .			2 (00
Colburn, Mrs. Waldo,			2 0	0	Quincy, Miss,			5 (00
Congregational Sunday	Scho	ool,	12 7	3	Quincy, Mrs. G. H.,			5 (00
Converse, Mrs. C. C.,			5 0	0	Spaulding, Emily S.,			5 (00
Crehore, The Misses,			I O	0	Spaulding, Estate of Jo	hn	Р.,	10	00
Estabrook, Mr. A. F.,			5 0	0	Stetson, Mrs. A. W.,			5 (00
Faulkner, Miss, .			2 0	00	Thomas, Mrs.,			2 (00
Faulkner, Page & Co.,			5 0	0	Unknown, .			8	00
Fiske, Mrs. J. N.,			10 0	0	Warren, S. D., .			25	00
Hodgdon, Dr. A. H.,			5 0	0	Wardle, Mrs.,			2	00
Howe, Mrs. E.,			3 0	0	Weld, Mr. J. N.,			2	00
Hunnewell, H. H., & So	ons,		10 0	00	White, Mrs. B. F.,			2	00
Kimball, Mrs. D. P.,			10 0	0			\$	301	7.3
Kingsley, Mr. C. W.,			50 0	0					

CONSTITUTION.

- ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.
- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute a life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty or, in her absence, of a Vice-President to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall

receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.

ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.

ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.

ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.

ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.

ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held in the first week of November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.

ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.

ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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SEPT., MRS. DUNKLEE, MRS. GAY.
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JUNE, MRS. ALBREE, MRS. CONVERSE.

COMMITTEE ON SUPPLIES.

Mrs. WHITE. Mrs. ALBERT GAY. Mrs. H. H. PROCTOR.
Mr. NATHANIEL S. HOTCHKISS. Mrs. JOHN ALBREE.

* All admissions to either Home are made by this Committee, which meets the third Friday of each month, at 48 Rutland Street at 11 o'clock.

In Memoriam.

MRS. MARTIN L. HALL.

The sudden death of Mrs. M. L. Hall, of 327 Commonwealth Avenue, is a great loss to this church, how great only they know who, like the pastor, have had long and intimate acquaintance with her. Her loyalty to this church, associated as it is with the princely benefactions of her husband, was perfect. Its life and work lay very near her heart. She was always one of the readiest to respond, with free and beautiful generosity, to every call for pecuniary help. Her steady stream of benefactions, given through the pastor, to men and women who knew not who their friend was, has never ceased to flow. She gave time and strength, as well as money, to the Children's Friend Society, the Young Women's Christian Association, and other city charities. There was no spirit of self-indulgence or self-display in her. Everything she did was done quietly and persistently. She had a bright intelligence, an inquiring mind, a warm heart, an independent judgment, and a sensitive conscience. How much they have lost who constituted her own immediate household, they only know. Our sympathies are with them in their great sorrow - specially with the aged mother who has for so long been her daughter's loving care.

Mrs. Hall appeared to grow more tender and beautiful in character every year. Her inquiring mind never lost its freshness nor its youthfulness. But as the days passed, they left something of gentleness and sweetness behind them, so that she seemed to have come to the Indian summer of her life. Suddenly she has disappeared from view. The church has lost one of its most loyal

members — the pastor one of his best and truest friends.

"There was an old belief that in the embers
Of all things their primordial form exists,
And cunning alchemists
Could re-create the rose with all its members
From its own ashes, but viithout the bloom,
Without the lost perfume."

These few "In Memoriam" words will be little to those who did not know intimately Mrs. M. L. Hall. The pastor, as he writes them, knows how much they fail to give adequate expression to the strength and beauty which grew year by year into clearer evidence in the character of her who was, and is, joined with us "In the fellowship of Jesus Christ our Lord."

— Reven Thomas.

HOME FOR BOYS, LOCATED AT DEDHAM.

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REPORT.

Another year of service in the cause of the children has just been completed, and we have arrived at the dignity of our sixtyfifth anniversary.

The work which our Society can accomplish in any one year seems small in amount, when we consider how many unfortunate and overburdened parents there are in this large city in need of just such a home and just such care for their little ones as we can offer to but a limited number; but when we come to realize the results achieved through sixty-five years of faithful service, during which our Home has continued to shelter, year after year, from twenty-five to seventy children, and has, furthermore, succeeded in bringing up many of the girls to noble or worthy womanhood, we know that the good accomplished is greater than can be estimated, and that the work is worthy of our most faithful devotion.

During the past year twenty-nine children have been admitted to the Home, two readmitted, and eighteen dismissed. The number in the Home at present is seventy, practically a full roll.

The children are classified in three departments: the nursery, the kindergarten, and the school department.

In the nursery twelve baby boys and girls, from two to four years of age, may be seen, under Mrs. Page's motherly care, sitting at their low table, learning to drink milk and broth properly, learning to talk plainly and to walk securely, playing with blocks and dolls, singing their little songs for the visitors, whom they receive with so much delight, or riding gloriously on rocking-horses.

We next visit the kindergarten, which we find in a cosy room decorated with gaily colored paper designs and figures sewed upon cardboard, the work of the children; and here Miss Koenig has the care of seventeen little people, between the ages of four and six, and is teaching them, through play, to use their little minds and bodies in accordance with Froebel's beautiful system.

From this little class the boys are sent to the Dedham Home, while in the school department Miss Hooper exercises full sway over thirty-nine girls, between the ages of six and sixteen, instructing them in the various courses of study adapted to primary and grammar school grades. Miss Hooper is admirably fitted for this work, and has had the greatest success in conducting it.

The school room contains a small library, and also a cabinet, where Miss Hooper has started a collection of specimens, including minerals, the cotton plant, and other curiosities from different countries, which are of value in illustrating the text books. Additions to this collection would be greatly appreciated and would add materially to its usefulness.

Two older girls, who have completed the school course, and who, for the present, assist in the work of the Home, complete the number.

In visiting these departments one is impressed with the whole-some, homelike atmosphere, which is that of a well regulated household rather than that of a public institution. The greatest care is taken to influence and mould the characters of the children, as well as to develop their minds and bodies, so that each child may, so far as lies in our power, become a useful, respected and self-respecting member of any community. If there are any refractory children, not amenable to the ordinary discipline of home life, they are transferred to one of the institutions for unruly children provided by the State; but fortunately such cases are of very rare occurrence.

The Home extends its motherly care and supervision over the older girls, who, when they reach the age of eighteen, may, if they wish, leave the Home and become self-supporting in any available position for which they are fitted. If not at first successful, the Home reopens its doors to them until they can be safely established in some useful position. One of our girls, who received instruction at Burdett College during the past year, is now earning her own living as a typewriter and stenographer.

At about this time a year ago forty cases of mumps assailed the children, preventing them from attending our annual meeting. Since then, throughout the year, the best of health has prevailed, thanks to the good care of our attending physicians. Through the kindness of friends, Thanksgiving was appropriately celebrated with a bountiful gift of turkeys, and Christmas with a tree and Christmas gifts.

During the summer a number of delightful outings for the children were planned and successfully carried out. Among these, thirty-two children were entertained by Mrs. Tyler, Mrs. Wood, and Mrs. King, at a lawn party given under the auspices of the Jamaica Plain News Co. Through the kindness of Mr. Waldron, the children enjoyed a day at Westwood Park, while tickets which he had furnished for another picnic, which was given up in consequence of stormy weather, were utilized at different times during the hot weather for rides into the country. On another occasion twenty-three children were taken by Mr. Deming, of Tremont Temple, to Beachmont, and through the influence of Miss Pratt, of the Shawmut Church, an excursion to Long Island was also made. This excursion took place at the invitation of Mayor Quincy, the expenses of the trip being provided from the Randidge Fund.

A small bequest left by Miss Henrietta Wiley, who for several years had taught classes of our girls in the Sunday School of the Shawmut Church, made it possible for several children to enjoy the unusual pleasure and benefit of a few weeks at the seashore. Miss Wiley had taken a personal interest in many of our children, bringing flowers to the sick, taking them out for walks and rides, and giving them many little gifts and souvenirs. Her unselfish life was an example which the children will not soon forget.

A delightful concert, which realized for the Home the sum of \$740, was given last spring, in Steinert Hall, in place of the usual May-day sale. The committee of arrangements, of which Mrs. Proctor was chairman, was fortunate in securing the co-operation of Miss Gertrude Edmands, Mrs. Homer Sawyer, and other artists, who most generously gave their services.

The secretary's report fifty years ago records the pleasure and satisfaction with which the Society took possession of its new and substantial brick building, No. 48 Rutland Street, which had just been completed. After all these years, the building still remains a suitable and attractive home for the Society, although the extensive and necessary repairs made during the last few years have been a serious drain upon its treasury.

This year, while the actual repairs have been somewhat less than usual, the imperative need of a fire escape, ordered by the fire commissioners, loomed up like a threatening cloud upon the horizon of our fiscal year. A careful inquiry into the matter, however, conducted by Mr. Wales, Mr. Gray, and Mr. Converse, reduced the original estimate of expense from \$5,000 to an actual cost of \$1,820, and resulted in the erection of a fire-escape, consisting of iron balconies built outside of each floor, connected with a tower of non-combustible material, containing an iron stairway running from the top of the building to the ground. This was a costly addition for the Society to make, but it places the Home beyond criticism in this respect.

The Society is now enjoying the convenience of a telephone, which was placed in the Home last spring.

During the past year an unusual number of changes have taken place among the officers of the Society. Miss Leland has resigned from the position of corresponding secretary, which she so ably filled, and Mrs. Joshua Lincoln has retired from the office of president, which she held for so many years. Her faithful service and never failing devotion to the interests of the Home will long be remembered. She was an officer of the Society as early as the year 1867, and her connection with its management has continued until the present year — a noble record of which she may well be proud. It is gratifying to learn that she will still be associated with us as an honorary manager.

Since the last annual meeting the Society and the children have lost two of their most staunch and devoted friends, Mrs. Martin L. Hall, and Hon. Jonathan A. Lane. At the time of her death Mrs. Hall had but recently resigned from the office of recording secretary, which she had held for twenty consecutive years. She not only attended conscientiously to her official duties, but, with open purse and thoughtful interest in the welfare of the children, her deeds of kindness flowed in a steady stream into the daily life of the Home.

In the death of its honored co-worker, Mr. Lane, the Society has met with an irreparable loss. He had served nineteen years upon the board of advisers, and for nearly as long a time as a member of the finance committee. He was also one of the founders of the Boys' Home in Deham. His wise counsel and

generous gifts never failed us in time of need, and made him a veritable pillar of strength upon which the Society could safely rest.

In looking forward to another year of work we may well question the possibility of making good to the Home what it has lost in these loyal friends. Let us find in their lives our example and inspiration for future work, and let us follow in their footsteps, striving, with redoubled efforts, to interest new friends in the Society, and endeavoring, with earnest zeal, to make the future worthy of the past.

HARRIET J. WILLIAMS,

Corresponding Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEDHAM HOME.

The attention of the Children's Friend Society is again called to the Boys' Home in Dedham.

The number at present in the Home is more than complete, as one of our former boys has temporarily returned to us. During the year five boys have been dismissed and their places filled by five new comers, one from the Rutland Street Home.

We have had more sickness than usual this year, and we are therefore especially indebted to Dr. Babcock for his kind care and attention. We are glad to report that with one exception all are now well and regularly attending school.

During the summer various outings were enjoyed. Fifteen boys visited friends, while those who remained at the Home were taken to ride in the electrics and upon trips to the Park and the woods.

Our gardener and man-of-all-work has been very successful with the garden, and has supplied both Homes with fresh vegetables. The orchard has yielded an abundance of pears and forty barrels of apples, which will also be used to supply both Homes.

The Home itself is in fairly good condition, although some of the rooms still need to be renovated. The barn, which serves as an Annex and hospital, has been newly shingled, and is now in good repair.

Each year we feel more grateful to the matrons, who try so hard to make a pleasant home for the boys. We wish to express our thanks to Miss Darling, our substitute matron, who did so much for the pleasure of the boys during the hot days of the summer.

And so the work goes on: we have our discouraging times, but we are frequently cheered by good reports from several of the boys who have gone from the Home. Two or three are doing well right here in Boston, working through the day and at night attending evening schools.

We have with us at present several boys for whom we are trying to find homes, and we should be glad of any help in this direction.

ANNA F. HODGDON,

TREASURER'S REPORT.

BOSTON, November 1, 1898.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

RECEIPTS: -

Board of children, Girls' Home,			\$1,710	15
Board of children, Boys' Home,				бо
Income from invested funds,			4,364	08
From Assistant Treasurer, subscriptions, .			582	00
Interest on bank deposit,			91	40
Refund State Bank tax,			73	79
LEGACIES: —				
A. W. Hooper, executor will of Josephine S. Hall,	, .			
to be added to trust fund,	\$3,000	00		
Andreas Blume, executor will of Sarah				
B. Hyde, and Benj. E. Bates, bal-				
ance of legacy of \$1,300, \$800.00)			
Jas. M. Lincoln, interest from April 6,				
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John C. Lane, executor estate Jona. A. Lane,	1,000	00		
Thomas Weston, trustee estate Justin Ambrose,	44	00		
			4,898	80
Investments paid in,			11,599	00
Donations:—				
Wm. Quincy Wales,	. \$10	00		
Sabbath School, Second Congregational Church				
Dorchester,	. 10	00		
Old South Church, annual,	. 278	56		
Primary Department, Sabbath School, Second	d			
Congregational Church, Dorchester,	. 5	00		
Mrs. F. A. Russell,	. 2	00		
Mrs. Fannie H. Fegan,	. 2	00		
Christmas Donations:—				
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Albert A. Pope, .						. 50	00		
Cecilia M. Dickinson	,					. 5	00		
W. S. Spaulding, .						. 10	00		
Noyes Bros., .						. 3	00		
Sarah E. Read, .						5	00		
Pauline A. Durant,						. 25	00		
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Repairs,						. 633	77		
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Fuel,						. 589	65		
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AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' and Boys' Homes, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance, as stated, of sixty-five and $\frac{57}{100}$ dollars (\$65.57), which is on a deposit in the Atlantic National Bank.

S. S. BLANCHARD.

Auditor.

Boston, October 27, 1898.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

\$657 00

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
year 1853,	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, to be known as the	
"Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,	5.500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	00 00,1
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," re-	
ceived, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869,	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capi-	
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in	
support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,	1.000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on inter-	
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said	
Society forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for	
Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to	
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8,	
1879,	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	
25, 1884,	5,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society, the income only there-	
of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24,	
1887,	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an approved and regularly recorded mortgage, to be known as	
the "Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the	
Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only	
shall be used for the support of the Society," received	
June, 1888,	5,000 00
Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,	
1889, From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the chil-	500 00
dren, received Dec. 5, 1889, . From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as the	100 00
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund," From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known as the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the in-	6,500 00
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham, From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet	1,200 00
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893, From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which	3,000 00
is to be used for the purposes of the Home, . From the Estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875, a permanent fund, the income only to be used for the purposes	1,000 00
of the institution, From the Estate of Samuel E. Sawyer, to be safely invested as a permanent fund, the income only to be used in such manner as will best promote the interest and prosperity of the	26,088 72
Society,	2,305 43
fund, the income only to be used, From the Estate of Josephine S. Hall, to be added to the trust	500 00
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FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME.

FROM NOV. 1, 1897, TO NOV. 1, 1898.

CLOTHING.

Adams, Mrs. W. B. Bingham, Mrs. G. P. Boston Branch of Needlework Guild of America. Cobb, Miss M. E. Dean, Mrs. Farrington, Mrs. Gay, Mrs. Albert. Glover, Mrs. H. R. Gould, Mrs. C. D. Hall, Mrs. M. A. Hewins, Mrs. Hollander, Messrs. L. P., & Co. Hyde, Mrs. H. D. Krebs, Mrs. F. H. Lane, Mrs. J. A. Lamkin, Miss L. M. Loomis, Mrs. E. G.

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PROVISIONS, FRUIT, CAKE, ETC.

Bingham, Mrs. G. P:
Blunt, Mr. Harvey.
Burr & Grohe.
Brimbecom, Mrs.
Canfield, Dr. (for Christmas tree).
Converse, Mrs. C. C.
Dedham Home.
Freeman, Mr. Jas E.
Gay, Mrs. Albert.
Hall, Mrs. H. S.
Hiland, Mr. Ira.
Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S.
Huyler's Confectionery Manufacturers (for Christmas).

Loomis, Mrs. Henry.

Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Lane, Mrs. J. C.
Lincoln, Mrs. Joshua.
Loomis, Mr. E. G.
May, Mr. Frederick.
Nichols, Mr. Lyman.
Proctor, Mrs. H. H.
Proctor, Mr. H. H.
Sprague, Mrs. E. H.
Thomas, Mrs. F. R.
Waldron, Rev. D. W.
Wright, Mrs. A. M.

Krebs, Mrs. F. H.

TOYS, GAMES, BOOKS, AND FLOWERS.

Bolles, Mr. Richard T.
Downing, Mrs. E. H.
Fruit and Flower Mission.
Gay, Mrs. Albert.
Gregerson, Miss N. S.
Keenan, Miss.
Krebs, Mrs. F. H.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Noyes Bros.
Parker Memorial.
Proctor, Mrs. H. H. (for Christmas tree).

Richardson, Mrs. W. E.
Rogers, Mr. M. Thatcher.
Roney, Miss Helen M.
Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph (for Christmas tree).
Smith, Miss Linda.
Sprague, Mrs. E. H.
Thomas, Mrs. F. R.
White, Mrs. G. A.
Woodbury, Mrs.

CASH FOR SPECIALTIES.

For Thanksgiving.	Dickinson, Mrs. M. F., \$5 00
For Frosted Cakes.	Estabrook, Mr. A. F., 5 00
Lincoln, Mr. Joshua, \$2 00	Ferris, Miss Mary E., 5 00
	Ferris, Mrs. Mary E.,
For the Fourth of July.	Fiske, Mrs. J. N., 15 00
Albree, Mrs. John, 1 00	Foss, Mr. E. N., 50 00
	Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.,
For the Babies.	Glover, Mrs. Henry R., 2 00
Primary Department of Swamp-	Hall, Mrs. H. S., 25 00
scott Sunday School (through	Hecht, Mr. Jacob H., 2 00
Mrs. Albree), 3 00	Hunnewell, Mr. H. H., 15 00
	Lincoln, Mrs. W. H., 2 00
General Expenses.	Lyons, Mr. C. F., 2 00
Kuhn, Mrs. Mary R., 5 00	Meredith, Mrs. J. H., 5 00
Standish, Mrs. M. S., 5 00	Merritt, Mrs. George W., 5 00
Stockwell, Mrs. N. S., 2 00	Merritt, Mrs. J. H., 2 50
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For New Years' Greeting.	Pope, Mr. Albert A., 50 00
Bryan, Mr. D. E., receipted bill, 5 05	Read, Miss Sarah, 5 00
\$23.05	Spaulding, Mrs. M. D., 5 00
For Christmas.	Spaulding, Mr. Wm. S., 10 00
Adams, Mrs. W. B., \$5 00	Standish, Mrs. L. M.,
Alford, Mrs. O. H., 5 00	Swain, Mrs.,
Bates, Mr. H. W.,	Tapley, Amos P., & Co., 5 00
Bingham, Mrs. G. P., 2 00	White, Mrs. Thomas,
Bremer, Mr. John Lewis, 50 00	Whitehead, Miss M., 5 00
Chick, Mrs. I. W., 500	Wright, Mrs. A. M., 20 00
Converse, Mr. E. S., 10 00	
	\$355 00
Crozier, Mr. I. W., 5 00	

FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

Adams, Mrs. W. B. Bolles, Richard T. Gregerson, Miss N. S. Hyde, Mrs. H. D. Old South Church. Williams, Mrs. H. J.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ayer, Dr. S. H. Barnes, Miss Fannie. Converse, Mr. and Mrs. C. C.

Boston Young Men's Christian Union Penfield, Mrs. Jas. A.

DONATIONS FOR BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

FROM NOV. 1, 1897, TO NOV. 1, 1898.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Delano, Mrs. H. C. McManus, Mr. T. M. Gaffney, Miss. Patenaude & Jacobs. Guild, Miss F. Quincy, Mrs. H. P. Hale, Mrs. Snow Bros. Krebs, Mrs. F. H. Storer, Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Ezra. Lincoln, Mrs. Waldron, Rev. D. W. Maynard, Mrs. Dr. Washburn, Mr.

For Christmas.

Cash, \$214 24 Congregational Sunday School, Christmas dinner.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RAISED AT THE DEDHAM HOME.

to bushels of peas. I 2 66 " beans. " cucumbers. 6 " tomatoes. 30 12 " spinach. " beets. 3 6.6 " salsify. 3 100 dozen ears of corn. 50 heads of cabbage.

300 heads of lettuce.
200 heads of celery.
100 radishes.
90 boxes of strawberries.
6 barrels of pears.
1 bushel of grapes.
40 barrels of apples.
30 chickens.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute a life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons, who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall

receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.

- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held in the first week of November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

RULES GOVERNING

THE

ADMISSION OF CHILDREN

TO THE

BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY,

48 RUTLAND STREET.

The object of this Charitable Institution is to aid destitute children. They can be surrendered to the care of the Society; or, by payment of a nominal price for board, will be cared for until their friends can provide for them.

Board must be paid two weeks in advance, on entering; and deserted children will be placed in the care of the city.

Only Protestant children are received, as there are many Catholic Homes, and we have more Protestant applicants than we can help.

To be admitted, a child

Must be in good health;

Must be able to walk;

Must have been vaccinated;

Must not be over nine years old, if a boy;

Must not be over twelve years old, if a girl.

The Committee on Admissions meet the third Friday of each month, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, and must see each child before it is admitted.

Boston, December, 1890.



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REPORT.

It gives us much pleasure upon our sixty-sixth anniversary to welcome our friends in this cheerful house that has been the home of our Society for more than half a century.

The work of the Home has been successfully carried on during the past year, notwithstanding rather limited resources in the treasury. There have been rather fewer admissions and dismissals, the children remaining in the Home for a longer period of time than usual. This is an advantage to the Society in many ways, and makes the work done among the children more effective. There are now fifty-eight children in the Home, forty girls in the school, eleven boys and girls in the kindergarten, five babies in the nursery and two older girls. During the year eleven have been admitted, two re-admitted, one has died, fourteen have been dismissed, and five have been transferred from our kindergarten to the Boys' Home in Dedham.

The health of this large family of children has been excellent, with the exception that colds prevailed universally during the extremely cold weather of last winter, and an epidemic of measles broke out between the last of May and the middle of August. There were twenty-nine ill with measles, all of whom recovered except one delicate little fellow, Walter Scott, whose attack was followed by pneumonia and heart failure.

During the summer, when the illness was at its height, Dr. Ayer was unable to give us all the attention required, as he was absent from the city the greater part of the time, but he kindly secured for us the services of Dr. P. H. Thompson and of Dr. Keppler of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, to both of whom we are indebted for their generous aid in our time of need. They rendered all possible assistance, and Dr. Thompson was especially kind and attentive in the case of the little boy who died.

In consequence of this illness among the children there are not as many summer outings and picnics to report as usual. Mr.

Deming, of Tremont Temple, took the children to Beachmont for one happy day, and the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church of Wakefield invited them to a picnic, which gave the children a great deal of pleasure. The children who were convalescing from the measles each enjoyed a delightful drive of two hours in the Parks, and on their behalf we wish to express our hearty thanks to the Young Men's Christian Union for the timely gift of five tickets for carriage drives.

For about fifty years the Society has attended the Shawmut Church and Sunday School, and many are the kindnesses and the advantages that have come to our children through this connection, especially through the teachers in the Sunday School. Last spring the Shawmut Church found it necessary to change the hour for Sunday School to the afternoon, in order to accommodate the Sunday School from the Shawmut Chapel, recently abandoned. This change proved a serious inconvenience to the carefully planned routine of the Home, and after careful consideration of the matter it was deemed advisable to make a change. The Society now attends church and Sunday School at the Union Church, and we cannot speak too warmly of the cordiality with which its members have been received by Dr. Samuel L. Loomis and his congregation.

The children are making good progress in the schoolroom. Miss Hooper strives to keep the studies well up to the public school standards, and carefully saves any small sums that may be especially donated for the school to buy some needed book or appliance. This year she is saving up to buy a reading chart.

Twelve of our girls were invited last spring to assist at the anniversary of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Eliot Church by giving their well-known May-Pole Exercise. Their expenses were paid, they had a good time, and brought home \$2 for the schoolroom fund.

The managers have had occasion many times to thank the good friends of the Home who have given sums of money and useful articles of every description, but one gift sent to the managers calls for special mention, for it touched them very deeply—a fine portrait of their former friend and adviser, Mr. George Henry Quincy, presented by Mrs. Quincy. The portrait has been

hung in the parlor of the Home, where the Board meetings are held.

There have been a number of changes among our officers and managers during the past year. Three of our active managers have resigned, and one of our honorary managers, Mrs. C. D. Gould, has died. Mrs. Gould became one of our Board of Managers in 1869; the following year she was made a vice-president, and in this capacity served the Society for sixteen years. In 1886 she resigned, and the Society, in appreciation of her many years of activity, elected her an honorary manager.

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mr. John C. Lane, who was taken ill upon the very day that his name was placed upon our finance committee in the place left vacant by the death of his father.

In the death of Deacon Samuel C. Wilkins the children have lost one of the best of friends, and Boston one of its most faithful and devoted workers among the poor and needy. It was Deacon Wilkins' custom to visit our children every Monday afternoon, read the Bible, talk and pray with them, and tell them stories. Last year about Thanksgiving time he was telling them about the death of a friend whom they knew. He told them that they must not think that death is sad and dreadful, but that it is beautiful. The sick man had seemed to be dying, but upon rallying was asked how he felt, and if he were afraid? He smiled and said, "I feel like a boy who has been away and is going home to Thanksgiving with mother." This story was recalled to the children when one Monday afternoon, about the time of his usual visit, a beautiful wreath of flowers, sent by the Shawmut Church after his funeral, was placed in the schoolroom, and the children said, "Deacon Wilkins has gone home to Thanksgiving."

There can be no question as to the value of the work accomplished by this Home. We assist parents who have been unfortunate through sickness, death, or reverses of fortune, to give their children the advantages of a well-ordered Christian home during those early years when their little lives are most susceptible to influences and are held, as it were, in the balance between good and evil. In bringing up these children to be good men and women we are not only doing a charitable work for others, but we

are also working for ourselves and for our own children, in helping to make our city and our state better places to live in.

Our problem for the future seems to be "how to make both ends meet." This is an old, old story. We read of it from time to time in nearly all the reports of former years, and, notwith-standing the many crises when we have hardly known where to turn for money to meet our expenses, the Society has never been obliged to curtail its usefulness and has continued its beneficent work from year to year without a break. Shall we curtail our expenses or increase our income? Doubtless something can be done on both sides of the question, for, while our income from invested funds is considerably increased, our income from annual subscriptions and from entertainments and sales is smaller than it was ten years ago, and our current expenses are decidedly larger.

This year our May-Day Sale, under the efficient management of Mrs. George P. Bingham, brought in \$700 to the treasury; but there is strong reason to believe that if our annual sale were held earlier in the season and in a more central location a much larger sum could be realized.

At one time we had the assistance of twenty collectors, but at present there are but thirteen on the list. May not this account for the decrease in our annual subscriptions? Mark Twain says, in a recent magazine article: "By nature we are not free givers, and have to be patiently and persistently hunted down in the interest of the unfortunate." We may smile with Mark Twain, but we nevertheless feel impelled to say that there are no people more generous than the people of Boston. Doubtless there are hundreds of benevolent people in our city eager and anxious to help us in the splendid work of our Society could only our needs be brought home to them. We need to make the work of our Society more widely known.

HARRIET J. WILLIAMS,

Corresponding Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEDHAM HOME.

At the pleasant Home in Dedham our boys have passed another quiet year, under the good care of our motherly matrons, Mrs. Dean and Miss Russell. Nine boys have gone from our charge, and seven more have come to us, five little fellows coming the first of the summer from Rutland Street.

We feel very grateful to the citizens of our town for voting the free use of our public schools to the boys, not only saving us great expense, but giving the boys the advantages of a better training and a broader life by mingling with boys and girls outside the Home.

We have this year given great attention to the health and development of the boys. Mr. Frederic Hitchings, with the advice of Dr. Fitz of Harvard, has very kindly given his services and greatly aided us. With his advice, the matrons have taken special care of the diet of the children, and by his careful system of weighing and measuring we find that there has been a steady gain in weight and health of the boys. We wish to thank him, and also our matrons, for the cordial help they have given him.

Dr. Babcock has always been ready to come to us when needed. We are greatly indebted to him for his general care, and especially for his particular attention the last three weeks with the cases of diphtheria.

Two ladies, Mrs. Henry P. Quincy and Miss Worthington, have been obliged to give up their places from among our Board of Managers. They have both served a number of years, and we shall greatly miss their help and counsel.

Anna F. Hodgdon,

Secretary Dedham Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Boston, November 1, 1899.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

REC	EIPTS:—								
	Board of children, Girls' Home	e,							\$2,006 87
	Board of children, Boys' Home	e,							1,145 11
	Income from invested funds,								3,488 50
	From Assistant Treasurer,								594 75
	Interest on bank deposit, .								2 47
	Refund State Bank tax, .								21 35
LEG	ACIES:—								
	E. C. Hodges, executor estate	Aln	nira :	F. '	Winsle	ow,	\$306	79	
	Thomas Weston, final dividen	d fro	m e	sta	te Jus	tin			
	S. Ambrose,						344	52	
									651 31
	Sale of invested funds, .								6,309 37
т.		·	·	·	·	·			9,5-9 51
DON	NATIONS:—								
	Mrs. M. C. S. Quincy,						\$25	00	
	Old South Church, annual,			٠			265	01	
	Rutland Street Home, Christn	nas,					85	00	
	Dedham Home, Christmas,				\$208				
	Less paid out,				50	40			
							I 57	60	
	Rutland Street Home, Christn	nas,			\$151	00			
	Less paid out,				63	64			
						_	87	36	
	Mrs. Caroline L. Weld, in men	nory	of N	ſr.	and M	Irs.	- /	J-	
	Lewis Lerow,						500	00	
	Mrs. Agnes W. Van Brunt, Ch	ıristn	nas,				25	00	
	C. C. Converse,						200	00	
	Mrs. C. C. Converse,						100	00	
	Charles H. Jones,						10	oò	
	Chase & Sanborn,						10	00	
	Mrs. M. C. S. Quincy, .						50	00	
	Amounts carried forward,					9	51,514	97	\$14,219 73

Amount brought for	war	d,								\$14,219 73
Donations: — Continued.										
A1	nour	nt br	ough	t for	700	ırd,	\$	1,514	97	
Massachusetts Charital								50		
Dedham, proceeds of f								57	69	
Allen Evangelical Sabb								25	-	
										1,648 61
City of Boston, rebate	sew	er as	sess	meni	·.					19 82
Dedham Electric Com										75 00
Atlantic National Bank							Ċ			1,000 00
Proceeds of concert by							le.			90 00
LIFE MEMBERSHIPS, May-				-			,			90 00
M. Ida Converse,	-	Sale		•		¢				
				•	•	\$25				
Mary D. Converse, Isaac W. Chick, .		·		•	٠	_	00			
Costello C. Converse,							00			
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Rev. S. L. Loomis,	•				٠	25	00	Ø-0-		
Donations: —								\$125	00	
						\$25	00			
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Mrs. Olive Hill Housto				•	·		00			
E. S. Converse,		•	•	•	•		00			
Mrs. Brigham,	•						00			
Mrs. Causten Brown,			•	•	•		00			
Mrs. Frederick,				•	٠		00			
Mis. Frederick,	•	•						74	00	
Sundries,									25	
,	•	•	•	•	,	•	•	2	-5	
TABLES: —						dr -				
* '		•	•	•	٠	\$63				
Flower, Miss Hyde,		•		•		22				
Tea, Mrs. Thomas,		•			٠	21	-			
8 ,		•				132	-			
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				•	•	47	14			
Six pairs rubber shoes	valı	ied a	it \$3	00,						
"Smoking monkey,"			•	•		~	40			
Mrs. E. G. Pease, .					٠	I 22				
Cafe,						47				
Mrs. Fowler by autogra	aph,	Dr.	Smi	th,		5	00			
								506	30	
Balance brough	t for	rwar	d,							707 55 65 57
Ü										\$17,826 28

GIRLS' HOME.

EXPENSES: -

Current ex												
Thanksgiv	ing o	dinne	er, G	eo. C). H	ovey	Fun	ıd,		35	CO	
Repairs,										I 2 2	95	
Printing,										107	75	
Fuel, .										243	52	
Insurance,										148	50	
Atlantic B	ank i	loan,								1,000	00	
Atlantic B	ank,	inter	rest	on lo	an,					24	50	
												\$9,005 87
				В	OYS	, Н	OME	Ε.				
Current ex	pens	ses,								\$4,863	91	
Repairs,										242	79	
Printing,										6	00	
Fuel, .										233	17	
											_	5,345 87
Resulting :	from	sale	of i	nves	ted f	unds	, .					\$14,351 74
Ba	lanc	e car	ried.	forw	ard.	to ne	w ac	count	<i>t</i> ,			3,474 54
												\$17,826 28

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Girls' and Boys' Homes, and find them correct, with proper vouchers, showing a cash balance as stated, of thirty-four hundred and seventy-four and $\frac{5.4}{10.0}$ dollars (\$3,474.54), of which thirty-four hundred and seventy-four and $\frac{6}{10.0}$ dollars (\$3,474.06) is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank, and forty-eight cents is in cash.

S. S. BLANCHARD,

Auditor.

BOSTON, November 2, 1899.

The Society's net income, outside of invested funds, has been \$2,900.40 less than the expenses.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

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Church List,								\$536 75	
Life membership Mrs. E. C. Miss Cynth	Han	nme	r.			٠		50 00	
Donation, Mr. J				, .				25 00	\$611 75
					Cr.				
Paid Treasurer,								\$593 75	
In Treasury,									\$611 75

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
year 1853,	\$2,000 00
"Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860, From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	5,500 00
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," re-	
ceived —, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869, From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capi-	4,170 00
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in	
support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on inter-	
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said Society forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	3,000 00
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to	500 00
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8,	
1879,	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	
25, 1884,	5,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society, the income only there- of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec. 24,	
1887	5,000 00
From the Longwood Minstrels, invested in a note secured by an	3
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, to be known as	
the "Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only	
shall be used for the support of the Society," received	
June, 1888,	5,000 00
Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770	ó0
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on		
interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of		
said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,		
1889,	500	00
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to		
be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the chil-		
dren, received Dec. 5, 1889	100	00
From B. F. Sturtevant and E. W. Converse, to be known as the		
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund,"	6,500	00
From the Longwood Minstrels and Quincy Club, to be known as		
the "Longwood Minstrel and Quincy Club Fund," the in-		
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham,	1,200	00
From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income		
only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet		
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893,	3,000	00
From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which		
is to be used for the purposes of the Home, From the Estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875, a per-	1,000	00
manent fund, the income only to be used for the purposes		
of the institution,	26,088	7.2
From the Estate of Samuel E. Sawyer, to be safely invested as	20,000	12
a permanent fund, the income only to be used in such man-		
ner as will best promote the interest and prosperity of the		
Society,	2,305	12
From the Estate of James S. Stone, to be added to the permanent	-,505	43
fund, the income only to be used,	500	00
From the Estate of Josephine S. Hall, to be added to the trust		
fund,	3,000	00,
	\$77,964	
	\$177,904	1 5

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item. — I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Managers thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

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FROM NOV. 1, 1898, TO NOV. 1, 1899.

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CASH FOR SPECIALTIES.								
For Thanksgiving.	Converse, Mrs. C. C.,							
For Thanksgiving. Lincoln, Mr. Joshua (for frosted cakes), \$2 00 For New Year's Greeting. Bryan, Mr. D. E., receipted bill for resetting glass 5 80 Badger, Mr. E. B. (for candy), 3 00 Glover, Mrs. H. R. (for strawberries), 1 50 Libby, Mrs. Clarence (general expenses), 1 00 Wood, Mr. Frank, printing Christmas appeals, 7 00 For Christmas. Alford, Mrs., 5 00 Albree, Mrs. John, 2 00	Converse, Mrs. C. C., Crozier, Mr. I. W., Estabrook, Mr. A. F. Fiske, Mrs. J. N., Ginn & Co., Hall, Mrs. H. S., Hecht, Mr. J. H., Henchman, Mr. N. H., Hollander, Mr. L. P., Hooper, Mrs. F. T., Hotchkiss, Mrs. N. S., Hunnewell, Mr. H. H., Lovering, Mrs. C. T., Lyons, Mr. C. F., Potter, Mrs. W. B., Reed, Miss Sarah E., Saltonstall, Mrs., Spaulding, Mr. W. S.,	. 2 00 . 5 00 . 10 00 . 5 00 . 25 00 . 5 00 . 20 00 . 5 00 . 10 00 . 15 00 . 5 00 . 10 00 . 15 00 . 5 00 . 5 00 . 5 00 . 5 00 . 5 00						
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FOR CHRISTMAS.

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Allen Evangelical S. S.,		\$8 00	Kimball, Mrs. D. P., \$10 c	00
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Chase, Mrs. George,		3 00	Lincoln, Mrs.,	0
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Estabrook, Mr. A. F.,		5 00	Weld, Mr. S. M., 5 o	0
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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RAISED AT THE DEDHAM HOME.

8 bushels of beans.

2 " cucumbers.

3 " " grapes.

5 " spinach.

4 " " peas.

25 " tomatoes.

200 heads of celery.

300 " " lettuce.

50 cabbages.

25 dozen radishes.

100 dozen ears of corn.

100 lbs. of squash.

200 lbs. of rhubarb.

15 boxes of strawberries.

5 barrels of pears.

3 barrels of apples.

175 dozen eggs.

50 chickens.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

- ART. 2. Its object shall be to provide a home for the reception, care, and education of destitute children, to be admitted either on surrender or as boarders, till suitable provision can be made for them.
- ART. 3. Any lady subscribing and paying two dollars, and any gentleman subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute a life membership.
- ART. 4. The officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, and sixteen or more ladies who, together, shall constitute a Board of Managers, and shall be chosen annually. They shall have power to appoint Collectors, to fill vacancies in their own number, and to transact all the general business of the Society. They shall elect a Board of twelve or more Advisers, and also a Nominating Committee of four persons who shall represent the different denominations of the Board.
- ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly, for the transaction of business, on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient hour in the morning, at the Society's house. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the concurrence of two other members of the Board. The meetings of the Society and of the Board shall always be opened by prayer.
- ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in her absence, of one of the Vice-Presidents. It shall also be her duty, or, in her absence, of a Vice-President, to audit and approve all bills and accounts.
- ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend to the correspondence of the Society; to fill all the business papers, including surrenders and indentures; to keep a list of all children received and discharged, with such particulars as the Board may prescribe; and to make an annual report of the condition of the Society. The Recording Secretary shall keep records of all meetings of the Society and of the Board. It shall also be her duty to attend to the special notices.
- ART. 8. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President; and shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the collectors' books, and keep a list of the annual subscribers. She shall

receive all moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership.

- ART. 9. It shall be the duty of the Board of Advisers to visit the Home at least once during the year, and one of their number shall preside at the annual meeting. They shall attend to the repairs, purchase the fuel and such other heavy articles for the use of the Home as the Board of Managers may request. They shall also aid in providing homes, especially for the boys who have attained the prescribed age.
- ART. 10. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to prepare and report for election at the annual meeting a list of officers; and should any vacancy occur in the Board during the year they shall nominate a suitable person to fill the same.
- ART. II. A committee of two members of the Board shall be appointed at each monthly meeting to visit the institution one or more times every week; to inspect the house, and see that suitable provision is made for the support and instruction of the family; to confer with the Matron, and, if needful, with the Advisers, relative to the best plans and methods for promoting the interests of the institution, and report at the meeting of the Board.
- ART. 12. Any person may present the case of a needy child; and if, after the necessary inquiries, it appears, in the opinion of the Visiting Committee and the Matron, to be a proper object of charity, and the funds are adequate, it may be admitted into the family, and await a decision of the case at the monthly meeting.
- ART. 13. The annual meeting shall be held in the first week of November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
- ART. 14. A Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each annual meeting. They shall advise with the Treasurer as to the investment or disposition of the funds of the Society, and shall also see to the custody of its deeds, bonds, stocks, or other evidences of property.
- ART. 15. A lady who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Managers, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member thereof by the unanimous vote of said Board.
- ART. 16. Amendments may be made in this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

RULES GOVERNING

THE

ADMISSION OF CHILDREN

TO THE

BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY,

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The object of this Charitable Institution is to aid destitute children. They can be surrendered to the care of the Society; or, by payment of a nominal price for board, will be cared for until their friends can provide for them.

Board must be paid two weeks in advance, on entering; and deserted children will be placed in the care of the city.

Only Protestant children are received, as there are many Catholic Homes, and we have more Protestant applicants than we can help.

To be admitted, a child

Must be in good health;

Must be able to walk;

Must have been vaccinated;

Must not be over nine years old, if a boy;

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The Committee on Admissions meet the third Friday of each month, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, and must see each child before it is admitted.

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS.

Another year of work, filled with its many perplexities, its joys and sorrows, has passed away, and as we to-day stand on the threshold of a new year we will review the work of the sixty-seventh year of our Society.

At the beginning of the year there were fifty-five children in the Home, thirty-nine school children, eleven in the kindergarten, four in the nursery, and one older girl, while to-day we have only twenty-five.

What is the reason for such a small number? The day before our annual meeting, last year, a child was admitted from Lewiston, Me., and after being with us only two days was taken ill with diphtheria. He was sent at once to the City Hospital, but already others had contracted the disease, and they too were immediately sent away. Not long after the return of one of the children from the hospital scarlet fever developed, bringing into the Home another contagious disease. There were in all thirteen cases of scarlet fever and seventeen of diphtheria. Hospital people were most kind and did all they could to aid us, but they too were overcrowded and could not assume the care of all our sick ones, so there was only one course to pursue, and that was to care for them in our own Home; and this was doubly hard, as there were the two contagious diseases at the same time. In our own Home we cared for four cases of diphtheria and seven of scarlet fever.

During the time our nursery matron was taken ill with quinsy sore throat, and, although at first it was not thought to be at all serious, it developed into a very complicated sickness. She was cared for in the Home for ten weeks and then was removed to the hospital.

We are grateful to record that the children's sickness, though protracted, was in nearly every case very mild, with the exception of one little girl who died at the hospital, and the small boy who came with diphtheria, and who never seemed to be a well child; later he contracted pneumonia and died. Dr. Ayer was very busy at the time of the sickness and could not attend to the children, but he sent his assistant, Dr. Keppler, who was most kind and faithful in his attendance.

The expense of this illness, with nurses, medicines, and countless small extras, has necessarily been very large, and, as our quarantine lasted from November 15 until April 11, it has been impossible for us to admit our usual number of children into the Home.

The Board of Managers have felt for some time that it might be better for the children to have a Home in the country, and in the spring of 1800 a joint committee of the Board of Managers and Advisers was appointed to confer together about a new Home. They held several meetings, but arrived at no definite decision; and it was not until April of this year, after a vote was passed asking the president, Mrs. Glover, to write to the chairman of the committee, asking what had been done, that a report was made. Since then the committee have done a great deal of looking about and visiting many places, but to find one not too far from Boston, and with just land enough and the right kind of a house on it, was not an easy task; and after many conferences it was decided to invite Mr. Birtwell, of the Children's Aid Society, to tell the Board of Managers about the modern way of caring for children by placing them in families under the supervision of a paid agent. Mr. Birtwell was listened to with much interest, and a vote was passed giving the committee authority to engage some one to serve us in that capacity, and we have with us to-day Mr. Sherman C. Kingsley, who is acting as our general secretary. We all feel very sad when we think that we have no nursery full of bright-faced babies that we can visit, and we shall truly miss that department of our work; but we are sure that the home in the country, where each dear little one can be cared for as one of the family, is doing more for the child itself than we could do for it when we had it in the protecting shelter of our own sunny nursery. And as we begin the twentieth century, with its bright future, may we each one be guided to do just what is best for the children that come under our care.

The children have enjoyed several outings during the summer. Two teachers at different times have given all the children a trip to Franklin Park, while another happy day there was given them by a friend. Mr. Waldron invited the children to Wakefield, where they were entertained by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church of that place.

We are indebted to the Allston Topic Club for its kindly gift of thirteen dollars to be used for the children's pleasure; and on the 24th of August a party of forty, including some of the Dedham boys, went to Norumbega Park. They saw all the sights, used all the swings, rode on the merry-go-round, and had a trip to Waltham and return on the steam launch, and we wish to thank the Commonwealth Avenue Street Railroad Company, who gave them a special car and free admission to the park, and the managers of the boat, who reduced its rates by more than one-half. It surely proved to be a red-letter day for all the children. Our thanks are also due the Young Men's Christian Union for the gift of five carriage tickets.

Many of our children have this year joined the Christian Endeavor Society connected with the Union Church.

We wish to thank Dr. Arthur C. Jelly and Dr. Roland A. Davis, of Somerville, for their kindly interest and advice.

Through Mr. Kingsley all the railroads centering in Boston have given us special rates for the transportation of our children.

In closing, we would thank all the friends who have contributed to the happiness and well-being of the children in the past, and at the same time ask for their continued interest in the future.

HARRIET W. LANE,

Secretary pro tem.

REPORT OF DEDHAM HOME.

As we look over the work of another year for our annual report, we find much for which to be thankful. Although this year has been one of many changes for us in the Dedham Home, we have had no serious complications.

One of our directors, Mrs. Helen A. Russell, on account of absence from town, felt obliged to withdraw from the board after several years of efficient service. Her place has been filled by Mrs. A. W. Nickerson.

Mrs. Hodgdon, after three years as secretary of the Dedham Committee, resigned that position, although still remaining as one of the directors.

In July there was quite an exodus from the Home. Seven of our older boys left, to go either into other homes or to begin work for themselves. It was with regret we saw them go, for most of them had been in the Home since they were little fellows, and we had become much attached to them. During the entire year fourteen boys have left and thirteen new ones have been admitted, making a total now of twenty-seven boys.

This has made a great change in the character of the Home, for these new ones are nearly all quite young and require much care and attention from our matrons. And this brings me to the most important change of all.

In May the directors received a letter from Mrs. Dean resigning her position as matron in the Home, to take effect July first. This letter was read and accepted with sincere regret, for in the seven years of her service she has proved herself invaluable. She has won us all with her kindness, gentleness, and firmness in the management of the boys, so that they not only feared and respected, but had learned to love her.

We were fortunate indeed to be able to fill her place so acceptably with Miss Ruth A. Russell, the former assistant matron.

This of course left the position of assistant matron vacant, which was filled by Mrs. C. E. Senior, of Dedham.

These changes, though important, have made but little difference in the general management of the Home. Everything is going on as before. In the admission of so many boys, no illness has been brought to the Home, and the general health of all has been above the average. Only the ordinary diseases such as colds, whooping-cough, and mumps have visited the Home, which our faithful Dr. Babcock has cared for so wisely.

In the winter, through the kindness of Mr. Frederic Hitchings, a gymnasium teacher, Mrs. Hancock, one of Dr. Sargent's normal students, came, for her expenses only, to teach the boys. This was a source of great benefit as well as pleasure to the children, as all, both old and young, were able to participate in it.

And now as a committee we wish to say that we feel that Mr. Kingsley, our new general secretary, will be a great help to us in our work, and that he will be able to make many of the hard places smooth.

Respectfully submitted,

ADA WITHINGTON NOVES,

Secretary Dedham Committee.

GENERAL SECRETARY'S REPORT.

The General Secretary began his work with the Society on the 1st of August, 1900, and this report therefore covers only a quarter of a year. In these three months, however, sixty-five different applications, involving one hundred and thirteen children, have been made to the Society.

It is difficult to make an accurate tabulation of the causes which led the applicants to appeal to us, because in many instances more than one circumstance led the person in distress to come. However, in most cases, some one cause stands out from all the rest, and is sufficient in itself to account for the appeal.

The following is an approximately correct table:

Total ni	umber	of case	es,											65
Number	of chi	ldren,												113
Boys,														67
Girls,												,		46
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Death o	f fathe	r, .										IO		15
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From this table it is seen that more than one-half of these appeals were due to the wrong-doings of parents — more than one-third of the whole number being chargeable to bad fathers. Perhaps the most frequent situation is where a woman, racked and worn by years of hard work, disappointments, and worry, asks to have a child, or a whole family of children, cared for. She wants

to go to work to help earn their support. Meantime there is an able-bodied man serving a sentence at the Island, or he is in another state, spending his money on some one else, or quite likely his whereabouts are unknown.

This wanton misconduct of parents and the consequent misery of children leads one to ask, Must this condition of things always confront us? Must the community continue forever to be compelled by such men and women to support and safeguard their neglected children? Cannot some of our numerous social efforts be more effectively applied? Can the law do no more? At any rate, this Society and others of its kind can spread upon their reports data for the legislator in framing his laws; for the minister who wishes to reach those who need him most; for the sociologist who wants to be practical as well as theoretical.

The second class of cases cannot be much abated. Sickness, accident, and death will continue to leave helpless children to be cared for by this and other societies.

These cases have been dealt with as follows:

										4	Cases.	Children.
Withdrawn, .											8	13
Placed out, .											7	10
Boys' Home,								N			3	5
Advised,											16	26
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Federation of	Jewish	Cha	ritie	es,	•						I	3
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A few instances showing how difficulties are met otherwise than by admission, and which are given in the table as "advised," may be of interest.

A frail mother, living apart from her husband, had been struggling to care for herself and her boy of eight. Broken in health and on the verge of a serious nervous collapse, she wanted the lad, who was a little queer, cared for. The boy was examined by a specialist in nervous and brain disorders; the father and his lawyer were seen. As a result, he is now cared for by relatives at the father's expense, and is to be brought to the city at stated intervals to visit his mother. He is getting on well in school, his teacher, having been given the benefit of the physician's advice, understands him, and makes allowance for his peculiarities. The mother herself, moreover, profited by the visit to the doctor, her family having been informed by him of her serious condition, and advised as to how she should be cared for.

A well educated young foreigner brought a lad of thirteen of the same nationality. The mother, grandmother, and an uncle live on a poultry and vegetable farm near Boston. A fellow countryman who has a boy cared for by a child helping society at a trifling expense had inspired them with a desire to have him likewise provided for a year or so. Careful questioning revealed the fact that while the lad was quite useful on the farm, it was thought that it would be cheaper to hire some one to do the work if the lad could be cared for as they desired. The young man was told that if the boy had no home a place could be found, but this lad had just such a place with his own family. He then questioned whether there were not other societies. Of course the answer was yes, but he was told that they would undoubtedly take the same view of the matter. Then he frankly admitted that he agreed entirely with what had been said. He had been asked to make the appeal and wanted to be thorough about it.

The father of a family of five children wanted them all taken. He had stood his wife's bad conduct as long as he possibly could. Three different times she had mortgaged the furniture, had let the rent go unpaid, thus bringing mortgagees and landlords to his place of business, thereby causing him to lose his work. Worst of all, she was in the habit of going away and leaving the children

unprotected. Asked the ages of the children, he replied that one was five weeks old, and that the other four were "grown-up" (the ages of the "grown ups" are nine, seven, five, and three). He had been to another society and was referred to us. He saw the seriousness of breaking up the family, and thought the proposed plan of having some one see the mother a good one. He did not know that such a thing was ever done. His great concern was that the mother should get "a good scare." A call at the home confirmed the father's story in part, but who would not have some sympathy for a worn little woman, whose house was as clean as wax, even though the cane bottoms were out of the chairs, who does her own work and takes care of her five children on less than \$12 per week? She seemed to be genuinely sorry for the trouble she had caused her husband, but said that no one living could separate her from her children. The father is to be interviewed again, and among other things an effort will be made to have him care for the smaller children Sunday morning or evening, in order that the mother may go to church with the older ones; a further effort will also be made to interest some one in her who may bring new and helpful interests into her monotonous life.

These cases suggest the necessity of versatility of method. The circumstances are as varied as human experience, and while the applicant may know of but one remedy, — namely, that some society should take the child, — the charity worker often finds that some other solution is needed, just as the physician frequently discovers that the patient's diagnosis of his own complaint is not correct. A society should stand ready to give new exhibitions of usefulness, and should minister to its applicants in the manner best suited to their own needs, having in mind, not only the immediate relief of distress, but the whole problem of the child's welfare as a member of the community.

The ten children placed out are under the constant supervision of the general secretary, and are all doing well. Those of school age are attending the public school. One receives wages, one is placed free, and board is paid for the other eight at the rate of \$2 per week each. These ten children are cared for at a net cost to the society, exclusive of oversight, of about \$2 per

week; an average of about twenty cents each. Nearly all the expense is met by parents and relatives, who have been induced, after more or less effort, to contribute to their support.

The parents are all much pleased with the care the children are receiving. One mother writes: "I do not see how they could be better situated." She visits them at least once a week, and often takes tea with the family Sunday evenings. Another mother writes: "I am very happy to know that the children are in such good hands." A father had a few days' vacation, and spent two days with his boy, who is in our care. One little girl was placed in Swampscott, to be near her mother in Lynn. The mother writes that the child's health (she has always been frail) is improving; she thinks partly because she sees so much more of her mother. A great majority of parents prefer to have their children cared for in families when they find that it is scientifically done, and are more willing to pay their board when they are thus cared for.

A little more than two-thirds of a century ago the work of this Society was begun by a generous-hearted woman who took three little girls to her own home. All these years the Society has stood in this community for what the name proclaims, The Children's Friend Society. A great number of the best men and women of Boston have served upon its Board, have given liberally of their means, and have put into it some of the best effort of their lives. The Society faces the new century with plans for enlarged service to the children of this community, and with this record of good deeds already accomplished and the promise of greater future usefulness, the Society appeals to the public for continued and enlarged support.

SHERMAN C. KINGSLEY,

General Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Boston, November 1, 1900.

WM. QUINCY WALES, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BOSTON CHIL-DREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY.

RECEIPTS.—								
Board of children, Girls' Ho:	me,							\$1,095 74
Board of children, Boys' Hor	me.							986 74
Income from invested funds,								3,474 61
From Assistant Treasurer,								655 25
Interest on bank deposit, .								51 74
Refund State Bank tax, .	·	,		·		•	•	21 58
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LEGACIES:—	_					#		
Under will of Mehitable Gay								
Almira P. Balch, by Hollis F	R. Bail	ey, I	Exec	C., .		200	00	
								215 00
Sale of invested funds, .								4,712 50
Donations: —								
						\$1	00	
Lawyer,							00	
I W Chick.	·			•	·		00	
I. W. Chick,	•		•	•	•		00	
Mr. A. W. Hooper,	•		•	•	•		00	
A Friend	•	•		•	•		00	
A Friend,		•	•		•			
Mrs. I W Chick	•	•	٠	•	•	_	00	
Mrs. I. W. Chick, A Friend,	•		٠		•	50		
Frank M. Frankrick	•	•	٠	•	•	I		
Frank M. Forbush, Old South Church, annual Richard P. Elliott,	•	•	•				00	
Old South Church, annual	•	•		•	•	350		
Kichard P. Elliott,	•	•	٠	•			00	
Mrs. Georgianna P. Binghan Christmas Appeal,	1, .	•	•			5	00	
Christmas Appeal,				\$177				
Paid out,		•						
						125	92	
Christmas donations and en	tertair	nmen	t,					
Boys' Home,	٠.			\$287	2 I			
Paid for Christmas celebration								
hold expenses,				I 22	76			
						164	45	
Robert W. Morrill, Jr.,						25	00	
Massachusetts Charitable Fi	re As	socia	tion	l		50	00	
Alice L. Ricker, Treasurer, Pauline A. Durant, Allin Evangelical Sabbath S						5	00	
Pauline A. Durant, .						25	00	
Allin Evangelical Sabbath S	chool	of I	edh	nam,		9	18	
Mrs. Van Brunt,						10	00	
Pauline A. Durant,						25	00	
Sabbath School of Second C	Church	of 1	Dore	cheste	er,			
								\$958 79
Dedham Electric Co.,								75 00
Balance brought forw	ard.							3,474 54
	,							
								\$15,721 49

GIRLS' HOME.

EXPENSES: -

Current exp	ense	s,							\$7,552 86	
									. 35 00	
Repairs,									. 325 78	
Printing,									. 93 50	
Fuel, .										
Insurance,										
									. 753 13	
										\$9,677 35
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Current exp	ense	s,							\$4,208 68	
Repairs,									325 50	
Fuel, .									95 19	
										4,629 37
										\$14,306 72
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										\$15,721 49

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Boys' and Girls' Homes, and find them correct with proper vouchers showing a cash balance as stated (\$1,414.77) fourteen hundred and fourteen and $\frac{77}{100}$ dollars, of which (\$1,410.77) fourteen hundred and ten and $\frac{77}{100}$ dollars is on deposit in the Atlantic National Bank and (\$4.00) four dollars is in cash.

S. S. BLANCHARD,
J. CONVERSE GRAY,
Auditors.

BOSTON, November 2, 1900.

ASSISTANT TREASURER'S REPORT.

On hand, .							\$18 00
Church List,							533 50
Donations, .							43 00
Life members	hip, Dr	. S.	H. 1	Ayer,			25 00
Annual Meetin	ng Tea	, .					8 75

\$628 25

PERMANENT FUND.

The "Permanent Fund" of the Society consists of the following amounts, given on such conditions that the income only can be used:—

From the Estate of the Countess of Rumford, received in the	
year 1853,	\$2,000 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Gurney, to be known as the	
"Fennelly Fund," received March 6, 1858,	1,000 00
From the "Massachusetts Prison Discipline Society," and known	
as the "Dwight Fund," received Aug. 4, 1860,	5,500 00
From the Estate of Deacon Moses Grant, to be known as the	
"Grant Fund," received Nov. 4, 1861,	1,000 00
From three different Estates, constituting the "Joy Fund," re-	
ceived —, March 13, 1867, and Dec. 1, 1869,	4,170 00
From the Estate of Mr. George Howe, "to be added to the capi-	
tal fund of said institution for investment and income in	
support thereof," received Feb. 10, 1872,	1,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Martin L. Hall, "to be placed on inter-	
est, and such interest to be applied to the support of said	
Society forever," received May 16, 1876,	3,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Lorenzo S. Cragin, "to be added to the	
permanent funds," received April 9, 1877,	100 00
From the Estate of Mr. George O. Hovey, "as a fund for	
Thanksgiving dinners," received Nov. 21, 1878,	500 00
From the Estate of Mrs. Susan D. Reynolds, "to be added to	
the permanent investments of the Society," received Jan. 8,	
1879,	500 00
From the Estate of Mr. Gardner Colby, "the principal to be kept	
forever intact, and the interest only used," received April	
25, 1884,	5,000 00
From the Estate of Mr. Ralph M. Pomeroy, "to be added to the	
permanent investments of the Society, the income only there-	
of to be applied to its uses and purposes," received Dec.	# 000 00
24, 1887,	5,000 00
approved and regularly recorded mortgage, to be known as	
the "Longwood Minstrel Fund, and to be added to the	
Permanent Fund of the Society, the interest of which only	
shall be used for the support of the Society," received	
June, 1888,	5,000 00
Amount carried forward,	\$33,770 00

Amount brought forward,	\$33,770 00
From the Estate of Miss Maria D. Chorley, "to be placed on interest, and said interest to be applied to the support of said Children's Friend Society forever," received Aug. 31,	
From the Estate of Mr. Jesse Holbrook, the income of which to be used yearly for buying Christmas presents for the	500 00
children, received Dec. 5, 1889,	100 00
"Converse and Sturtevant Fund,"	6,500 00
come of which to be appropriated to repairs at Dedham, From Mrs. Harriet A. Bigelow, for a reserve fund, the income only to be used for daily expenses, to be called the "Harriet	1,200 00
A. Bigelow Fund," received 1892 and 1893, From the Estate of Henry R. Glover, the income only of which	3,000 00
is to be used for the purposes of the Home, From the Estate of Ann White Vose, deceased in 1875, a permanent fund, the income only to be used for the purposes	1,000 00
of the institution,	26,088 72
Society,	2,305 43
fund, the income only to be used, From the Estate of Josephine S. Hall, to be added to the trust	500 00
fund,	3,000 00
	\$77,964 15

FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I (A B) do give and bequeath to the Treasurer for the time being of the Boston Children's Friend Society the sum of ———, for the use and benefit of said institution, to be applied by the Board of Directors thereof to the general objects of the Society (or, if so desired, to be added to the permanent funds of the Society). And I do direct that the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same,

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Mrs. John S. Winn,		2 00			\$12.00

DONATIONS FOR RUTLAND STREET HOME.

From Nov. 1, 1899, to Nov. 1, 1900.

CLOTHING.

Boston Branch of Needlewoman's	Penfield, Mrs. James A.
Guild.	Port Royal Club.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.	Stetson, Mrs. Sarah M.
Hewins, Mrs. Edmund D.	Tarntor, Mrs. D. A.
Krebs, Mrs. Franz H.	The Miner Charitable Society
Kelly, Mrs. Fritz.	Thomas, Mrs. F. R.
Mears, Mrs.	Wales, Mrs. W. Q.
Pease, Mrs. E. G. S.	Williams, Mrs. H. J.

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Strong, Mrs. Charles P.

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Fowler, Mrs. L. A. W.
Glover, Mrs. H. R.
Hall, Mrs. H. S.
Hooper, Mrs. L. D.

Hollander, Mrs. Lewis Preston.
Lane, Mrs. J. A.
Loomis, Dr. S. L.
Nichols, Mrs. Lyman.
Old South Church.
Pratt, Miss.
Proctor, Mrs. H. H.
White, Mrs. W. H.

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Adams, Mrs. Walter B. Baker, Mrs. Ruth B. Bryan, D. E. Costello, John J. Covel, A. S. Gray, Mrs. J. H. Hall, Miss

Kepler, Dr.
Krebs, Mrs. Franz H.
Piper, Mr.
Sawyer, Mrs. Joseph.
Wiggin, Mrs.
Wright, Mrs. A. M.

DONATIONS FOR BOYS' HOME, DEDHAM.

Christmas Collections,							
Allen Evangelical Sunday School,							
Rev. F. B. Allen,							
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CLOTHING.							
Mrs. S. D. Warren.	Mrs. A. H. Hodgdon.						
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GAMES.							
Mrs. Boyd. Miss F. W. Guild.							
Allin Evangelical Sunday School collections,							
SUNDAY TREATS.							
Mrs. H. C. Delano.							
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Mrs. A. B. Cozzins (books). Mrs. A. W. Nickerson (high ch							
Mrs. Burdakin (coats).	Murdocks Liquid Food (one box).						
Mr. T. W. Hardy (printing programs).							
CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.							
A. B., \$2 00	Kimball, Mrs. D. P., \$5 00						
Anonymous, Dedham, 1 00	Kingsley, Mr., 100 00						
Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C., . 10 00	Nash, Spaulding & Co., . 10 00						
Burdett, Mr. J. H., 5 00	Nickerson, Mrs. Albert, . 10 00						
Burgess, Mrs. J. K., 1 00	Paul, Mr. Edwin, 2 00						
Cash, 2 00	Pope, A. A., 25 00						
Cheney, Rev. Wm., 1 00	Prince, Miss M. E. (through						
Chick, Mrs. I. W. 5 00	Mr. La Forme), 2 00						
Clapp, Mrs. E., 2 00	Quincy, Mrs. George, 5 00						
Colburn, Mrs. W., 2 00 Converse, Mrs. Costello, 10 00	Quincy, Mrs. H. P., 5 00 Russell, Mrs. Helen, 1 00						
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Esterbrook, E., 1000	Snelling, Mrs., 3 00						
Faulkner, Miss, 2 00	Spaulding, Mrs., 10 00						
Fiske, Mrs. J. N., 500	Taft, Mrs. C., 50						
Foote, A.,	Weld, Gere., 5 00						
Harmon, Miss, 1 00	Wade, Mr. and Mrs. W., . 2 00						
Howe, Mrs. Elijah, 2 00							
	\$250 50						

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RAISED AT THE DEDHAM HOME.

Peas, 6 bushels.
Beans, 10 "
Corn, 60 dozen.
Tomatoes, 26 bushels.
Spinach, 10 "
Beets, 4 "
Radishes, 300.
Lettuce, 250 heads.
Rhubarb, 150 lbs.

Cucumbers, 1 bushel.
Squash, 50 lbs.
Strawberries, 60 boxes.
Pears, 8 barrels.
Apples, 25 barrels.
Celery, 150 heads.
Grapes, 1 bushel.
Eggs, 214 dozen.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 1. This Society shall be known as the Boston Children's Friend Society.

ART. 2. Its object shall be to interest itself in behalf of needy and exposed children; to provide when necessary for their reception, care, and education, either on surrender or as boarders, until the object for which they were taken has been accomplished, or until other suitable provision can be made for them.

ART. 3. Any woman subscribing and paying two dollars, and any man subscribing and paying five dollars, annually, shall be a member; children and youths, one dollar. The payment of twenty-five dollars at one time shall constitute a life membership.

ART. 4. There shall be a Board of Directors consisting of ten or more men and ten or more women. The officers shall be chosen from their number, and shall be a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, two Auditors, and a Clerk. They shall be elected annually. The Directors shall have the management and control of all the affairs and property of the Society. They may appoint Collectors, fill vacancies in their own number and perform the work of the Society by such committees from their own number as they deem proper. They shall have power to make contracts binding on the Society; to employ such agents and assistants as they deem expedient, and fix their compensation; to take such action as they deem necessary for the well-ordering of the Society.

ART. 5. The Board shall meet regularly for the transaction of business on the first Friday of every month, at a convenient place and hour. Extra meetings may be held at the call of the President, or in the absence of the President, of a Vice-President, at such time and place as shall be designated, with the

concurrence of two other members of the Board. Five members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and any number present shall have authority to adjourn a meeting. The regular meetings of the Board shall be opened with reading of the Scriptures and prayer.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the President, or in the absence of the President, of one of the Vice-Presidents, to preside at all meetings of the Board. In case all three Vice-Presidents are absent, a presiding officer shall be chosen from among those present.

ART. 7. The Treasurer shall have custody of all moneys, bonds, notes, deeds, and other securities belonging to the corporation; he shall pay all bills and accounts approved by the President or Vice-President, or otherwise approved by action of the Directors; he shall exhibit at every annual meeting an account current of all receipts and expenditures with the certificate of the Auditors. The Assistant Treasurer shall take charge of the Collectors' books and keep a list of the annual subscribers; shall receive moneys collected, pay the same to the Treasurer, and fill certificates of life membership. The Auditor shall audit the books and accounts of the Society.

ART. 8. The Clerk shall attend all meetings of the corporation and of the Directors, shall keep full and accurate records of their proceedings, shall perform all the usual duties of a clerk, and shall notify Directors of meetings of the Society by written or printed notifications to be sent at least three days before each meeting.

ART. 9. The annual meeting shall be held in the first week of November, when the annual reports shall be submitted, the officers chosen, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

ART. 10. A person who has for years been an efficient member of the Board of Directors, and who, from various reasons, is prevented from regular attendance at the meetings, may be made an honorary member by the unanimous vote of said Board.

ART. 11. Amendments may be made to this Constitution by a majority of the members present at an annual meeting.

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